

# CANNON AS FOE TO PRIVILEGED

## Law And Civilization Should Spread Over All Alike, Says Uncle Joe.

# FACTIONS MUST GET TOGETHER

## Wants Bitterness Engendered By The Recent Primary Fight In Illinois, Forgotten.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Springfield, Ill., Sept. 9.—The republican state convention to nominate four university trustees, select presidential electors, and adopt a platform, convened this morning.  
Joseph A. Cannon, as temporary chairman, in a speech urged that all differences engendered at the recent primary election be forgotten and that everybody work for the success of the state and national tickets. Leslie M. Shaw, Governor Deneen, Senator Hoar

# COMIC SUPPLEMENT HIT AT PLAYGROUND CONGRESS

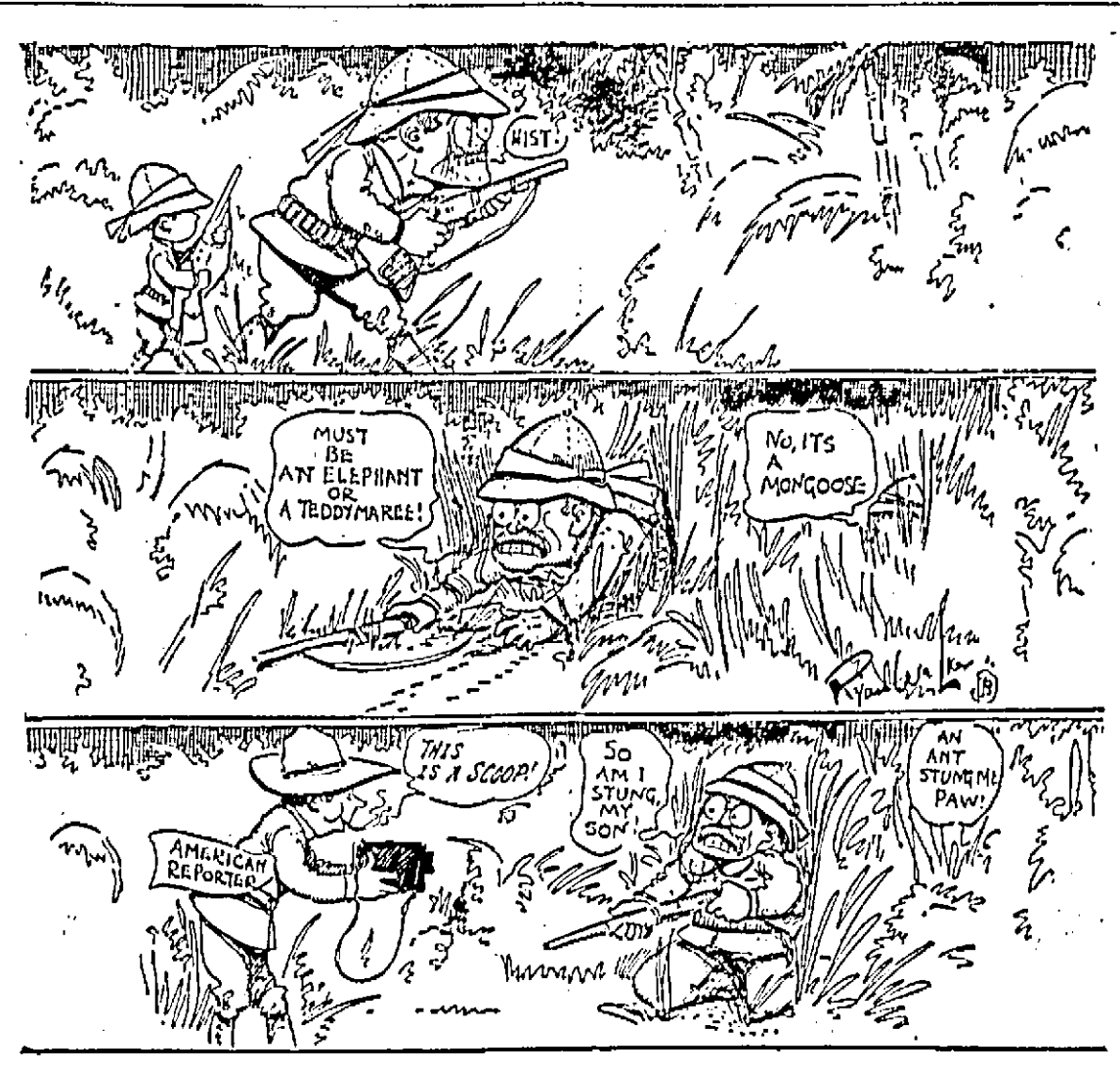
## Miss Maud Summers, In Address Today, Pleaded For Genuine And Healthy Fun In Place Of Modern Coarse- ness And Vulgarity.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
New York, Sept. 9.—At the playground congress, in session here today, Miss Maud Summers of Cincinnati deplored the style of comic pictures in which "evil" is exaggerated and emphasis is placed upon deceit, cunning and disrespect for gray hairs—pictures that teach children to laugh when boys throw water from an upper window upon an aged woman, or outwit an infirm old man.  
"Humor has its place in the literature of childhood," she said, "and it would be well if gifted writers for children could be found capable of substituting genuine fun, for the coarse, vulgar type now so prevalent. It is of the utmost importance that the picture or story for children shall have at its heart, a spiritual truth, or, in other words, that it shall

# TOWNS MENACED BY FIRES ARE SAFE FOR THE PRESENT

## Hibbing, The Largest Town On Mesaba Range, Was Threatened Last Evening.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Duluth, Minn., Sept. 9.—Last evening was a night of terror on the range and one of deep anxiety in Duluth, but this morning conditions appear to have changed for the better. The persistent efforts of citizens in stamping out bush fires and wedding down fields have prevented the flames from spreading and the towns menaced are for the present safe.  
Hibbing, the largest and most prosperous town on the Mesaba range, was threatened with destruction last evening. Despite the fact that the city is fairly well protected by fire companies and large open pit mines, the flames were getting closer all the time and every place of business was closed to enable citizens to fight the flames.  
"The fire is getting dangerously close and the situation looks serious," is the opening sentence of a telegram received from J. W. Kretzer, superintendent of the Duluth, Mesaba & Northern railway, at the general offices of the road at 3:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.  
The Duluth fire department received a telegram from the department at Hibbing asking that an engine and all the hose that could be spared, be shipped to them by special train at once. Chief Black with a number of men and the engine left Duluth shortly after four o'clock for the scene. The Mesaba road, realizing the danger of the inhabitants of the range, has trains in waiting at Hibbing to take the people away.  
Smoke and Heat Oppressive.  
Smoke from the forest fire which surrounded the town made Hibbing so dark that the electric lights have been turned on there in the day to enable the citizens to see their way about. The smoke is stifling and is causing a great deal of discomfort. The heat is very oppressive.  
Unless the wind changes Colorado and Hovey will be safe from the fire.  
15,000 Mile Club: Arthur Jones has been elected to membership in the Fifteen Thousand Mile club. The membership of the club is limited to those who have driven the same



The First Thing the President Will Bag in the African Jungles.

### CALIFORNIA HONORS ITS ADMISSION DAY

General Holiday Throughout State in Honor of Admission to Union.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 9.—Admission day, the anniversary of California's entrance into the union, was celebrated in the customary manner throughout the state today. In this city a general holiday was observed, the public offices, banks and many business houses being closed. Numerous athletic sports and other festivities were scheduled for the afternoon. A large delegation representing the Native Daughters and Native Sons of the Golden West went from this city to Monterey to attend the annual state convention of that organization.

### CROCKERS BRIGADE HOLDS ITS REUNION

Is Fourteenth Biennial Reunion of Veterans Gathered to Talk Over Past.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Oklahoma, Okla., Sept. 9.—The fourteenth biennial reunion of Crocker's Iowa brigade, consisting of the Eleventh, Thirtieth, Fifteenth and Sixteenth regiments of Iowa infantry volunteers, began here today. The Hotel Lucy was the headquarters of the reunion and the business sessions were held in the courthouse. President H. H. Hood of Mount Vernon presided. The reunion will continue over tomorrow. The biennial address is to be delivered by Colonel Charles A. Clark of Cedar Rapids.

### DETROIT CONFERENCE OF THE METHODISTS

Sessions Will Begin Tomorrow and Young People Will Have Rally Tonight.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Columbus, Mich., Sept. 9.—Many delegates and visitors, both clerical and lay, have arrived in Columbus to attend the annual session of the Detroit conference of the Methodist Episcopal church. The conference will open its sessions tomorrow morning. Preceding it there will be a young people's rally tonight. Bishop Hamilton of San Francisco is here to preside over the conference.

### PARKER UNWILLING TO ENTER THE RACE

Makes Statement Today in Washington—Lilly Nominated in Connecticut.  
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Washington, D. C., Sept. 9.—Alton B. Parker said here today that he is not willing to make the race for governor of New York.  
Lilly Nominated.  
New Haven, Conn., Sept. 9.—George L. Lilly was today nominated for governor by the republican state convention.

### BARON WECKBECKER IS THE PRESIDENT

On Sixteenth Annual Congress of Americanists Which Opened in Vienna.  
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Vienna, Sept. 9.—The sixteenth international congress of Americanists opened today under the presidency of Baron Weckbecker at the University of Vienna, and will continue in session for the next four or five days. The object of the congress is to promote scientific inquiries into the history of both American and their people.

### CUMMINS RECEIVED TWO MORE BALLOTS IN JOINT SESSION

United States Senatorial Deadlock In Iowa Legislature Still Continues.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Des Moines, Iowa, Sept. 9.—The first ballot for United States senator today in the joint session resulted in a deadlock. Cummins received 66 votes, a gain of two over yesterday. Representatives Holmes and Wilson (progressives), who were absent yesterday, today voted for Cummins. The absentees voted solidly against Cummins, scattering their votes. The joint session adjourned until "Thursday." The house today passed the election committee primary bill providing for a separate primary ballot with the oath of party affiliations as a party test.

### IS GETTING READY TO RECEIVE FLEET

Town of Albany in West Australia Is Where Fleet Will Stop to Coal.  
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Perth, Sept. 9.—The town of Albany, West Australia, is making great preparations for the reception of the American battleship fleet, which is due to reach that port within the next few days. The purpose of the visit to Albany, which is a town of only a few thousand inhabitants, is to take on coal for the ships. The vessels will remain in Albany about a week. Though the men will be kept pretty busy coaling the fleet it is expected they will be given time to enjoy a program of athletic sports and various other entertainment that is being prepared by the citizens.

### THIEVES MAKE HAUL IN JACKMAN BLOCK

Gold and Bridge Work Valued at \$75 Taken from Dr. Devereaux Office.  
Between twelve and one o'clock this noon while Dr. C. C. Devereaux was at his home, his office in the Jackman block was entered and gold and bridge work to the value of \$75 was taken. The office was locked when Dr. Devereaux left and when he returned, so that the thief evidently had a key of some kind.  
The bridge work was lying on the table in the doctor's work room and the gold was in the drawers of the table. Nothing else was molested and the thief evidently knew what he was after and took the most valuable things he could find.  
Two strangers, one of them whom was seen in the building yesterday and one today were picked up by the police but as both gave satisfactory accounts of themselves they were turned loose. So far no clue as to the identity of the thief has been discovered.

### RHODE ISLAND REDS WERE VICTORIOUS

Philip Koch Carried Off Four Premiums with His Birds at the State Fair in Milwaukee.  
Mr. and Mrs. Philip Koch returned last evening from Milwaukee where they attended the state fair. Mr. Koch had nineteen of his fancy chickens on exhibition and in the Rhode Island Red class won the premiums for the 1st cockerel, 2d and 3d pullet, and 3d cock. He was the only local fancier who made any entries in that department, and expects to make a splendid showing here when the poultry show is presented in Janesville next spring. Both Mr. and Mrs. Koch were well pleased with the fair and believe it is an exhibition of which the state may be justly proud.

### TRI-STATE MEDICS CONVENE IN IOWA

Leading Physicians from Iowa, Illinois and Missouri Gather in Ottumwa.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Ottumwa, Iowa, Sept. 9.—Leading physicians from various parts of Iowa, Illinois and Missouri were present today at the opening in this city of the annual convention of the Tri-State Medical society. At the special invitation of the society several eminent men are here from Chicago, St. Louis and other cities to address the meeting. The sessions will continue two days. A comparison of medical and legal liability, the curative treatment of pulmonary tuberculosis, and the prevalence, causes and possible repression of the social evil are the chief topics to be discussed.

### ILLINOIS DEMOCRACY GATHERS IN PEORIA

State Convention Will Be Followed by Speeches from Bryan and Kern.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Peoria, Ill., Sept. 9.—The democracy of Illinois took Peoria by storm today. The state convention, to be followed by speeches from William J. Bryan, John W. Kern and Adlai Stevenson, attracted one of the largest crowds that ever attended a political demonstration in Peoria.  
As the state convention proceedings were purely of a perfunctory character, the interest in the gathering centered in the speech-making. Mr. Bryan arrived from Chicago under escort of a large delegation representing Cook county democracy. Mr. Bryan and Mr. Kern are to speak on issues of the national campaign. The address of Mr. Stevenson will mark the formal inauguration of his campaign for the governorship.

### TO PICK CANDIDATE FOR SUPREME COURT

Iowa State Republican Convention Was Called to Order This Morning.  
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Des Moines, Ia., Sept. 9.—The state republican convention met here today and was called to order in the auditorium shortly after 11 o'clock. Colonel Charles A. Clark of Cedar Rapids acted as temporary chairman and delivered the opening address. Practically the only work of the convention will be to nominate a candidate for the office of judge of the supreme court to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Justice Charles A. Lippard.

### GOMPERS FILES HIS ANSWER TO CHARGE

Heads of Federation of Labor Deny They Are Guilty of Contempt of Court.  
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Washington, D. C., Sept. 9.—Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison of the American Federation of Labor today filed an answer to the petition of the Buck Stove & Range company to have them punished for contempt of court on a charge of violating an order of Justice Gould compelling them from contributing a boycott against the stove company. The answer is a general denial of any violation of contempt and asks for a trial by a jury and not by Gould alone.

Family Reunion: C. F. Lester has been having a little family reunion at his home. His sister, Mrs. Mary Morey of Detroit, Mich., and his brothers, G. H. Lester of Corcoran City, Mich., and S. M. Lester of Duluth, Minn., have been his guests. It is the first time in over thirty years that the three brothers have been together.

# EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS IS BEING HELD IN LONDON

## Nineteenth Annual Gathering Of Dignitaries Of The Catholic Church.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
London, Sept. 9.—No event in the history of the Roman Catholic church in England has ever brought together such a gathering of eminent dignitaries of the church as the nineteenth annual eucharistic congress, which was opened this evening with a solemn pontifical mass in the great Westminster cathedral. The congress will continue four days.  
The Pope, by a special letter, has commended the spirit of the congress, and the message will be delivered to the delegates, consisting of more than 1,000 priests, a score of archbishops, more than 100 bishops, eight cardinals and numerous monsignors and others of higher orders, by Cardinal Vincent Vannutelli, a cardinal bishop of the papal curia in Rome and the personal representative of the Pontiff.  
The eucharistic congress is one of the most important societies of the Catholic church. The central idea of the church is in the eucharist—the living presence of Christ in the bread and wine on the altar. The eucharist is one of the seven sacraments of the church and the most important. Out of it have grown the ritual, music, architecture of the church, and many peculiarities of Christian social life among Catholics.  
The eucharistic congress was organized nineteen years ago for the purpose of spreading devotion to the blessed sacrament. The delegates to the present congress come from the United States, Canada, France, Belgium, Holland, Germany, Spain, Italy, Austria, Australia and New Zealand and various countries of Asia, Africa and South America.  
Conferences of a most brilliant and interesting character attended the celebration of the opening mass today. Hundreds of waxen tapers illuminated the great marble altar. To the right a throne and canopy of rich purple silk were erected for the apostolic delegate. Ranged about the altar and within the chancel rails were the cardinals, conspicuous among whom was his eminence, Cardinal Gibbons of Baltimore. The other members of the sacred college in attendance were Cardinal Mathin, from the papal curia of Rome; Cardinal Logen, archbishop of Bordeaux; Cardinal Fischer, archbishop of Cologne; Cardinal Moran, archbishop of Sydney; Cardinal Ferrari, archbishop of Milan, and Cardinal Mercier, archbishop of Mechlin. In addition to Cardinal Gibbons the American prelates who attracted attention included Archbishop Farley of New York and Archbishop Bruchési of Montreal.  
The archbishops and bishops wore their purple robes and berretas, which, with the crimson robes of the cardinals and the darker purple of the papal delegates' surroundings, made a most impressive spectacle.  
In front of the altar and extending far back in the body of the church sat the delegates to the congress, including hundreds of priests in white linen robes. They filled both sides of the middle aisles of pews. Along the side aisles were seated seminarians and divinity students in black robes. So large was the number of delegates that they practically filled the cathedral, spacious though it is, and left scant accommodation for the great throng of spectators who sought admittance.  
Scarcely less notable than the distinguished prelates in attendance was the lay element. The leading Catholics among the English nobility were present, among them the Duke of Norfolk, the premier duke of England; the Marquis of Ripon, a leader in the movement to have England return to the unity of the Catholic faith; the Earl of Abingdon, the Earl of Donagh, Lord Herries and Lord Howard of Glossop.  
The general sessions of the congress are to begin in Albert hall tomorrow. There also will be daily conferences in Horticultural hall and other auditoriums. There will be sessions for both clergy and lay delegates. The papers and discussions will, for the most part, be doctrinal, and the central theme will be—as the name of the congress signifies—the holy eucharist considered as a sacrament, and as a sacrifice in the celebration of the mass.  
The American colony in London is much interested in the announcement that Cardinal Gibbons is to celebrate mass in the cathedral next Sunday. The popularity of the Baltimore prelate is expected to have much influence in gaining for the United States the next meeting of the eucharistic congress. Though the body has been in existence now nearly a score of years it has never met in America. Of the previous eighteen congresses, nine were held in France, five in Belgium, one in Jerusalem, one in Rome and the last one in Metz. The proposal to meet in America next year seems to be regarded with favor by many of the prominent delegates here.

# BEEDLE MAY RUN AS AN INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE

## Thinks Voters Were Caught Napping--Senator Hudnall Proposed For State Chairman.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Madison, Wis., Sept. 9.—H. L. Ebern, speaker of the last assembly, who was defeated in the recent primary election in his candidacy for re-nomination, and C. A. Ingram, of Peplin, chairman of the judiciary committee of the last assembly, came to Madison yesterday and after a conference it was announced last night that Commissioner of Insurance Beedle was seriously considering the proposal that he run as an independent candidate for re-election, notwithstanding his defeat at the primaries by James E. Abbott of Madison. The announcement was coupled with the declaration that Beedle's defeat was accomplished by a union of the big life insurance companies and the brewers, who made common cause in a gumshoe campaign with former State Senator "Billy" Austin at the head, for the defeat of Beedle and legislative candidates who favored the objectionable life insurance regulation laws and the proposed county option bill. Beedle declared that he would not feel aggrieved if Mr. Beedle runs as an independent, that the voters were caught napping in an independent race would not in any event support Abbott, so that the independent candidacy of Beedle would just take so many votes away from Mr. Abbott's democratic opponent. Friends of Mr. Beedle insist that the voters were caught napping in the recent primaries, that they were brought to the polls by the overshadowing senatorial contest and that thousands of voters who would have supported Mr. Beedle failed to mark their ballots for him, believing thoughtlessly that he would be re-nominated for a second term as a matter of course, while it turned out that the life insurance companies and other interests pulled their full strength for Abbott and thereby nominated him by some 600 plurality over Beedle.  
La Follette's Apathy  
In the gossip that followed the announcement of the possibility of Beedle's independent candidacy there are revived the old suspicion that Senator La Follette is indifferent to republican success. Wisconsin this fall, and that his friends will quietly elevate the "lip" to turn the state over to Bryan. This suggestion, however, is seriously doubted because of the attention which such a thing would bring upon the La Follette people, and also because John Strange, James A. Frear and A. H. Dahl, immediate La Follette men, are candidates for office on the republican state ticket, and they would loudly protest against un-republican conduct because it would endanger their own political well-being.  
Barker's County Option Bill  
Senator Harry W. Barker of Sparta, who will serve his hold-over term in the senate next year, has mailed wide-ly throughout the state a circular in which he sets forth the county option bill he proposes to have passed in the next legislature. His idea is to allow counties to vote on the question of licensing any saloons, to divide the license revenue between the county treasury and the cities in which the saloons may be situated.  
Hudnall for Chairman  
Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 9.—The possibility of a compromise candidate for the state chairmanship of the republican party was hinted at in several quarters today. So far the only man mentioned as a probable candidate upon whom all of the factions of the republican party might possibly agree is State Senator Geo. B. Hudnall of Superior. From just what was mentioned of Mr. Hudnall's name it is hard to say but it was frequently mentioned today and if Mr. Hudnall will take the place it might be all factions would agree to his selection. In the meantime the other possibilities as candidates seem to be resting on their own, although the Stephenson people have been in constant conference for the last twenty-four hours and E. A. Edmunds, the Stephenson campaign manager, still refuses to say whether he will be a candidate for the chairmanship.  
Even Ebern Is Silent  
W. C. Gwinley arrived here this morning but will say nothing in regard to the situation. H. L. Ebern, a well known La Follette leader, is in the city but is also keeping his mouth tightly closed except in his talk with the faithful. It looks from his attitude as if all sides were desirous the other should make the first move. In the meantime, although no word has been dropped by W. D. Connor that he is in the field for re-election as state chairman, his close followers are doing so much work for his candidacy that there is little doubt he is planning to be in the field as it is not likely they would be hustling without his consent.  
Davidson to Keep Out  
Governor Davidson arrived here this morning. He is keeping close to the state fair grounds and is evidently not desirous of mixing in any great degree in the contest for state chairmanship, although friends close to Mr. Davidson seemed to think this morning that the Hudnall program would be satisfactory to him.  
La Prairie Rippers Went: At La Prairie's pasture, on Monday, the La Prairie Rippers defeated the Speed Stars by a score of 20 to 5 in a baseball game.  
Services at Hanover: There will be German service at the Trinity Lutheran church at Hanover Sunday morning at 10 o'clock and at the Grove church, the afternoon of the same day, at two o'clock.



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## FARMS IN STATE OF WASHINGTON

INTERESTING STORY OF HARD-SHIPS AND ADVANTAGES.

IS RELATED BY A. W. THORPE

Tells About Land Values, Clearing With Stump-powder, Crops, and Fancy Prices For Butter and Eggs.

Centralia, Wash., Sept. 3 '08. The Gazette Publishing Co.—I do not know but the readers of "The Gazette" back east will be interested in the prices of improved or wild land in this section of the country.

The improved fruit ranches with a good bearing orchard and all ready to furnish a good living from the start are valued as high as \$200 per acre for those near town. Those farther out, but in every other respect just as good, can be bought all the way down to \$100 per acre, maybe a trifle less. Twenty-acre fruit ranches in all one man can take care of as it should be cleared for. There are several 10-acre ones near here and the owners say they can make a living and a little over, but I think a larger one is better as one can raise more hay and have feed for one or two cows.

The ranches here keep one horse, a cow or two, and a flock of hens, and buy all the grain they feed and the fellows on the 10-acre ranches have to buy the most of their hay which is all shipped in and gets very high in price by Spring.

If a person has the land he sows out and vetch together in the fall and cuts it the next July for hay. Clover can be mixed with the grain and it gets a good start through the rainy season and is all ready to grow the next spring.

Unimproved land can be bought for all the way from \$20 up to \$50 per acre, and it costs from \$50 to \$75 per acre to clear it. Some of the land is comparatively free of stumps and after the underbrush and logs are removed it is not much work to break the land and raise a crop of straw, berries or potatoes. They are the only crops that can be raised the first year.

The first thing they do here to clean the land is, during the month of July, to take a bush-hack and slash down the undergrowth of cedar, fir, alder, vine-maple, dog-wood, and hazel. They let this lie two or three weeks until it becomes dry enough to burn. Then permission has to be secured from the county and it is fired some day while the wind does not blow. Great care has to be taken in starting the fire for if it gets beyond control it causes great damage to standing timber.

After the slashing is burned nothing is left but a few dead trees, but the ground is covered with logs and stumps. The logs that are sound can be worked up into wood and either sold or used at home. The old rotten logs are sawed into chunks 8 or 10 feet long, then split a few times, piled and burned.

The quickest and cheapest way to remove the stumps is with stumping powder. I have worked with a powder gang a few days this summer and some of the largest fir stumps required an entire box of 50 lbs. to blow them out, but it did the work and left a hole large enough for a cedar.

One large fir stump looked so solid we received orders to put 100 sticks of powder under it, which we did, and after the smoke and dust had cleared away we could not find the stump—it had vanished and only a large hole remained. In putting such a large load under a stump, we bore a hole down under its center and shoot one stick in the bottom to spread the hole, then drop in the main charge.

This powder is expensive and a box of 50 lbs. costs \$6.00, but it's the cheapest in the end. When a stump is 10 feet high and 5 or 6 feet in diameter it is nearly impossible to dig it out.

They are burned out sometimes by starting a fire down in the roots and after it has started good the fire is banked with back and dirt and left to burn the roots out. This is rather costly pitting and does not always work. After the land is cleared it is not so hard to break as there is no tough soil.

A person can build a small house for \$300, and even cheaper than that if he doesn't care for style for a few years until he gets well started.

There is plenty of good water here and a well of good water can be had by digging 15 or 20 feet. However, it is likely to go dry during the summer, so if a person wishes a permanent well he has to go down 30 or 40 feet and there the water is fine.

We are selling eggs for 35 cents per dozen and our last butter sold for 30 cents per lb. Yet groceries are no higher than back east.

If a person owns a fruit ranch here in western Washington with a fine grove of fir and cedar timber, like we have, there is no dressing hard timber, for there is always something to sell that other people want.

**A. W. THORPE.**  
**HAS SEEN EVERY FAIR SINCE 1854**  
Mrs. Sarah M. Bridge of Jefferson Township Will Attend the Fair Next Week.  
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Monroe, Wis., Sept. 5.—Mrs. Sarah M. Bridge of Jefferson township has seen every fair held in Monroe since the first one, held in 1854. Mrs. Bridge is nearly 80 years old but she is still active and is coming to Monroe this week to attend the annual Green county "quilt show."

the train was stopped to put out the blaze, water being taken from a ditch at the side of the track. The car caught fire from a "hot box."

Lewis Dodge, Fred. T. C. Bell, and Herman Hesse, who went to Beloit Monday to compete in the motorcycle races, returned disgusted with the meet. None of the local riders would go on the track because of its wretched condition.

H. H. Chandler was slightly injured by being dumped to the ground when the wheel of a sulky gave way while working out a horse at the fair grounds. The horse then ran away and came near being badly injured by running into a barbed-wire fence.

Over fifty Monroe people are in Milwaukee this week attending the state fair.

**BAPTISTS CONVENE IN CUT-OFF CITY**

Forty-seventh Annual Meeting of Janesville Association Opened Yesterday.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Janesville, Sept. 8.—The opening session of the forty-seventh annual meeting of the Janesville Baptist association was held in this city at the Baptist church today, Sept. 8, in the Baptist church with a large number of delegates and visitors in attendance.

The meetings opened with songs of praise with W. W. Gillies as leader. This was followed by devotional services led by Rev. F. W. Hatch, pastor of the First Baptist church.

After which Rev. P. A. Hayward of Milwaukee gave a talk full of interesting and important facts taking as his subject "Publication Society." He spoke from Matthew 13:5 and said in part "The work of the American Publication Society was to sow seed wisely, economically and successfully."

The idea of assembling men and wagons and things is as old as the hills. It was used in ancient times among the barbarians. It was used in modern times by Hannum, and perhaps one of the best ways of instruction and inspiration, so he suggested a brief way to review a great parade and divided his parade into seven divisions: First, the management; second, thirty-four officers and managers, among whom would be Mr. Samuel G. Crocker, president, and four vice-presidents, W. H. Doane, Ohio; Joshua Levering, Maryland; W. G. Brinson, Illinois; D. C. Hughes, D. D., New York. Second division, the building, which was represented by a float bearing flags denoting eight years of history. On the float is a building six stories in height, mortar and steel construction, four hundred thousand dollars in value called the Roger Williams building. In that building is equipment for the best up-to-date laundry, printing and color work. Third division, music. Rev. Hayward remarked that there were two hundred and ninety-four thousand seven hundred and forty-seven Baptist Sunday school scholars in the United States and if the children's day exercises were used would need two million one thousand copies and if we could put into the hands of the entire population of Wisconsin, Alabama, Minnesota, New Jersey, North Carolina and Virginia, and if those were put in parade form there would be one hundred and five thousand three hundred and forty miles of Baptist Sunday school scholars singing the victory of Christ. Fourth, publications. In eighty-four years we have published enough books, tracts and other publications to make eighty million books of three hundred pages each. In one year we publish forty-eight million ninety-one thousand five hundred and thirty-five pieces of literature and if those were placed in vans, eight thousand in a van it would take six thousand vans to carry one year's publication. Fifth, distribution of literature. The Baptists distribute their literature through five sources: 1st, six stores at Boston, New York, Chicago, Dallas, St. Louis and Atlanta; 2d, chapel cars covering entire middle, southern and extreme west of the country; 3d, by collectors wagons of which there are fifty-eight. There were one hundred three thousand five hundred fifty-six families visited by these collectors last year. Sixth, subscription. There are one hundred and sixty-four men giving their entire time to missionary effort. There have been five thousand employed since 1824. There are in the United States forty-seven thousand eight hundred and fifty-two Baptist churches, having 35,230 Baptist clergymen. Seventh, money. The American Publication society did a business last year of \$262,377, an increase of \$85,026.70 over last year. Our children's day offering equaled \$125,000. If this money were put in mail, sending letters \$24,000 in gold we should have to add Uncle Sam to loan us fifty wagons to carry away our year's income from our business. The next speaker was D. W. Hubert of Wauwatosa, who gave an address on "State Missions." He said there were fifteen associations organized, each having an associational board which will look after the interests of the work in the association. The Wisconsin Baptists' opportunity is in the having a part of supplying Wisconsin's greatest need. His greatest need is not money. It is not education, not administrative ability, not religion. He said: "It does not detract one whit from the importance of all these but as important as they are, back of them all is the necessity for vital Christianity, or heart life." In conclusion the speaker showed that the denomination was abundantly qualified to have a large part in supplying to the great state of Wisconsin, this need.

The Misses Fannie Scaries, Gladys Clifford and Grace Kelly left this morning for Beloit, where they will enter the business college.

Mrs. Warren Collins arrived from New York city yesterday for a visit to her sisters, Miss Elizabeth Cleland and Mrs. John Baker.

Vernie Dodge of Brookhead was here on business yesterday.

Miss, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fuller is confined to his home with diphtheria.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bodenberger left this morning for Milwaukee. They will be absent about two weeks and will visit friends in Chicago before their return.

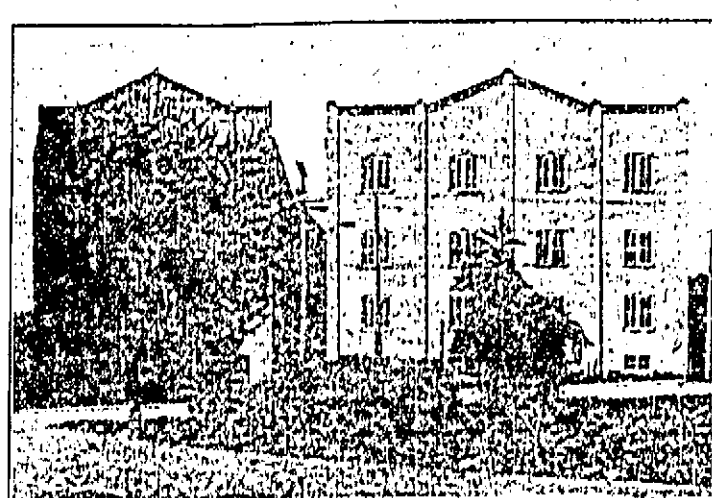
Mrs. B. W. Hubbard will entertain a company of relatives at an afternoon tea today for Mrs. Dell Burgess of Goodell, Iowa.

Grace Fitzgerald returned to Chicago yesterday after a month's visit to relatives in Evansville.

Dr. and Mrs. George Spencer will

## Some Beautiful Spots in the Janesville Business District

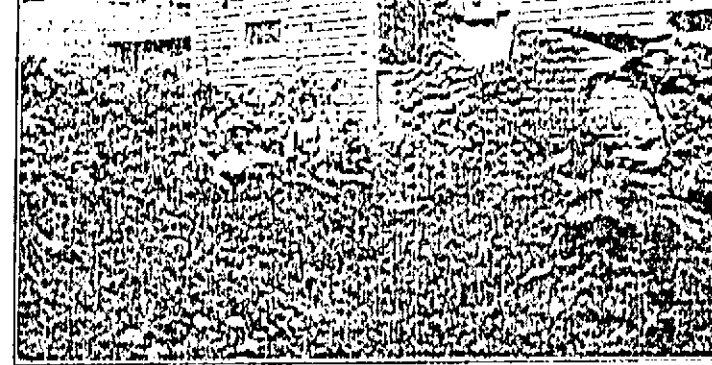
All that is unlovely and sordid and there expands and firmly anchors the inexpressible in human life may find its expression in the dreary prospect of a neglected doorway or in the bleak and forbidding countenance and ugly angles of a grimy, unpurged brick wall. Man is so easily influenced by such unpleasant factors in his environment that the position of those



GREENE & SONS' WAREHOUSE OVER-RUN WITH IVY

who argue for the magic touch of Nature and a little art to cover and conceal certain grim facts of existence, cannot be questioned.

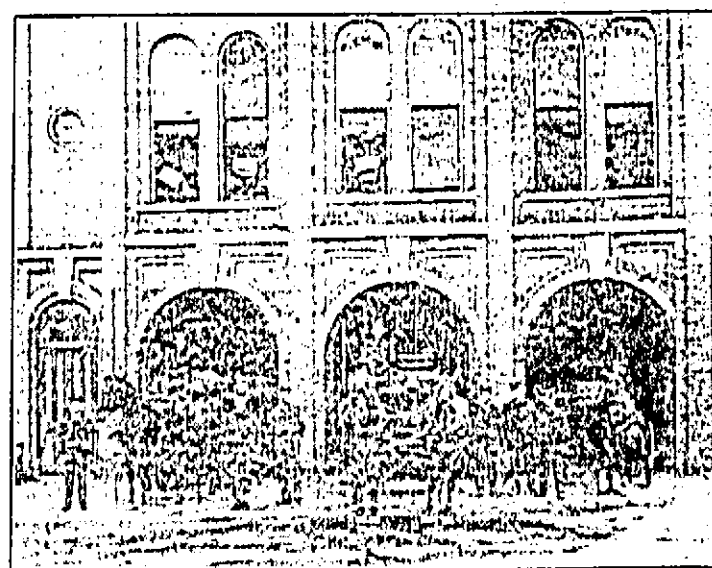
Janesville, at its very gates, offers something to soothe and heal the distressed mind and weary spirit. The M. F. Greene & Sons tobacco warehouse in front and two large ones to the south of the warehouses. The absence of a gutter on West Main street is the only thing that detracts the firm from placing a flower-bed on that side.



WEST SIDE FIRE STATION'S OLD-FASHIONED GARDEN

house on North Academy street, garbed in its luxuriant and gorgeous mantle of creepers, brings the way-farer to a sudden and wonderful halt. It is a clump of trees transformed into a poem which sings of contentment, a serene viewpoint, and good will towards men.

The ivy vines which compose this wonderful poem of Greene's, were planted some six years ago and now cover almost the entire front of the building and a half of the southern wall. The firm-name, in starting black



FIREMEN AND HORSES—TRIM AND READY

letters painted upon this southern face, was long ago obscured. Letter-ers on the depot platforms listen to exclamations of delight and answer questions regarding ownership almost every day. Thousands of inquiries at least five hundred requests for slips of the plant have been received and honored by Mr. Greene.

The vine's botanical name is Ampelopsis Vitis and it is a species of Japanese ivy which was imported for him. The tendrils are branched, each branch terminating in a little sucker-like extremity which turns away from the light to enter crevices and once

visit relatives in Whitewater, Milwaukee and Athens, Wis., for the next three weeks.

**Bad Climate for Furniture.**  
China is a bad place for furniture. In the summer months it is so damp that furniture put together with glue falls apart and drawers stick, while in the dry months furniture goes to the other extreme and often exhibits cracks half an inch or more in width.

**Woman moves a clear, rosy complexion the blood, clears the skin, restores ruddy, sound health.**

Torturing eczema spreads its burning area every day. Doan's Ointment quickly stops its spreading, instantly relieves the itching, cures it permanently. At any drug store.

Doan's Regulax cures constipation, tones the stomach, stimulates the liver, promotes digestion and appetite and easy passages of the bowels. Ask your druggist for them. 25 cents a box.

There's nothing so good for a sore throat as Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Cures it in a few hours. Relieves any pain in any part.

climbing up the station wall. W. A. Scott is head gardener but all of the others have had a hand in creating and keeping up the beauty spot.

**Ready for Duty.**  
That which is quick and span, trim and smart has its attraction in a well-kept horse. The third picture in the series shows the West Side department ready for business. From left to right the individuals are: Charles Schultz, W. A. Scott, P. H. Marsk, Richard Lichts, Stu Ott, Alan Pierce, Julius Teichoff, and William Conroy, with Chief Klein and his vehicle in the north doorway.

**Electrical Air Filters.**  
Electric air filtration is the idea of an English engineer, and is based on the discovery that a body positively electrified by 100 volts or more will become covered with soot in a single day in a smoky atmosphere, while a negatively charged body remains clean. Inserting a sheet of wire gauze in the intake flow of a ventilating system and electrifying it by connecting to a 250-volt supply main, the gauze extracts a large quantity of soot from the air.

**Do Something Worth While.**  
You will find plenty of people eager to help you enjoy life; but you will only find happiness in being able to do something worth while, alone and unaided. If, in the doing of it, you can help others, so much the better—James Barnes, "The Clutch of Circumstance."

**The Pursuit of Letters.**  
All the world may not exactly love a lover, but it always takes quite an interest in his letters when they are read to the jury.—Puck.

## Link and Pin

North-western Road.  
Engineers Coen and Dudley and Fireman Yates, despatched up from Chicago yesterday. They went on the extra board today.

Engineer J. M. Smith and Fireman Getland, returned to work this morning. Engineer Dunwiddie and Fireman Garry, who relieved them went on the extra board.

Engineer Foster is relieving Engineer Lee Wilcox in the pool.

Fireman C. B. Smith is laying off on 25 and 28. Fireman Dearhammer is relieving him.

J. B. Kaufman was put on last night as extra dispatcher. Townsend on the regular dispatch job has returned to work.

A stock train went through here last night at ten o'clock.

W. B. Bradley, Assistant Mechanic at Boone, Ia., has been appointed Master Mechanic of the Madison division at Harbino, to succeed Mr. Okhorn.

Engine 737 is in the shops today for repairs. Engine 277 is taking her place.

Engine 83 is on 588 and 595, in place of 311, which is in the shops.

Engine 806 is relieving engine 760 on 51 and 52.

Fireman Schoenberg, returned work on 531 and 541 this morning.

St. Paul Road.  
Engineer Meyer and Fireman Soltz, went out on 65 this morning.

Engineer Ruble and Fireman McCormick, engine 1016, took out first 166 last night.

Engineer James and Fireman King, are working on switch engine 3 today.

Engineed Falter and Fireman Duxstad, went out on 91 this morning.

Engineer Dawes and Fireman Shober, went out on an extra this morning.

**FIRST CAR OF FUEL OIL RECEIVED AT NEW YARDS**  
Union Tank Line Car Sent Here and Two Thousand Gallons Were Unloaded.

The first tank car of fuel oil to be received at the new yards, arrived here yesterday and two thousand gallons were stored in the oil house. As connections can be made direct from the car to the tanks in the oil house and the shipping by carloads is the cheapest and most convenient way of sending the oil, it will be sent out in this manner hereafter. The car will go from here to Winona and from there it will be sent to Dakota, where it will be unloaded.

**HARRY WHEELER PASSED AWAY IN LOS ANGELES, CAL. SOON AFTER MOTHER'S DEATH**

Tidings Brought Here in a Letter From his Brother, A. K. Wheeler, to District Attorney Fisher.

District Attorney J. L. Fisher has received from A. K. Wheeler of Los Angeles, Cal., a letter conveying the sad tidings of the recent death of the writer's brother, Harry Wheeler, in that city. The deceased was a son of Mrs. Sarah Wheeler, who died last week in a Madison hospital. A. K. Wheeler is the only surviving member of the former Janesville family.

**German Level of Comfort.**  
Only by taking them into consideration can you explain the paradox that with higher rent, lower wages, and longer hours the German working class maintain a higher level of domestic comfort and physical vigor, and their children are better cared for than our own.—Dr. Arthur Shadwell, in London Times.

**How True.**  
"One of the greatest comforts in life," remarks a prominent newspaper man, "is to be able to go to a poor show now and then, and feel superior to the people who seem to be enjoying it."

**When the Adamases Move.**  
Mrs. K. K. while telling her children about Adam and Eve and the beauties of the Garden of Eden, was interrupted by one of the tiny tots, saying, "Oh, mamma, when those Adamases move away, let us get that place to live in."—The Dollmaker.

**First Oysters of the season served in all styles at Wright's Restaurant**  
63 West Milwaukee St.

**Amusements**  
**UNIQUE**  
153 West Milwaukee St.

**TODAY'S PROGRAM—The Lion's Bridge—Hudson Ring.**

**5c THEATRE**  
33 South Main St.  
Every night and Saturday matinee.  
TODAY—"The Village Gossip," a great film.

**NICKELODEON**  
PROGRAM CHANGES MON. DAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY

## QUITE PREPARED

Freddy—"No, you don't catch me shunning illness to stay home from school and get all dosed up with castor oil and such stuff."

Johnny—"Oh, I'm all right on that. We're home-paths at our house."

## FORD CLOTHES

show this same point—very few ailments to be doctored. We want to show you "to-day!" Your prices.

## FORD

"The House Good Clothes Built!"  
Lowest cash prices in this city.

## 300 Baskets Of Fruit Today

Bushel, half bushel, fifth bushel Peaches.

Fine line of Crawford Peaches.

Another big lot of Fruit ordered for tomorrow.

New lot of Bartlett Pears today at 40c peck, \$1.50 per bushel.

Cucumbers for pickles, all sizes.

Fresh lot of Concord Grapes.

We are Headquarters for Fresh Fruit.

**SKELLY'S GROCERY**  
3 & 5 S. JACKSON ST.  
Rock Co. phones, 169, 152.  
Bell phone, 159.

## SPECIAL EXCURSION

**Ellery Band at Harlem Park Entire Week**  
COMMENCING SUNDAY, SEPT. 13.

Two concerts daily. Change of program every concert. Afternoon 3 o'clock, evening 8:15 o'clock.

Round trip, Janesville to Harlem Park, 80c, which includes a ticket to one concert.

## Rockford &amp; Interurban Railway Co.

**HOUSE CLEANING.**  
Don't let your old rags, rubbers, copper, iron, etc., be in your way. To obtain plus money for them phone 3512 old or 1012 new, and we will send our wagon to any part of the city.  
**ROSTSTEIN BROTHERS,**  
62 So. River St.

## MEN'S NECKWEAR

Just received a big lot of the newest styles of full neckties. Make your selection while our stock is complete. See our window display of ties at 25c each.

With four-hand ties, stylish patterns, fine silks, at 25c.

Shield or hand towel, newest shapes, patterns are very neat, at 25c.

Wide and string ties, latest designs, at 25c.

Pancy shield bows, desirable colors, at 15c.

Black shield bows, at 10c.

Windsor ties, attractive plaid designs, at 25c.

**MRS. E. HALL**  
Notice to Coal Dealers.  
Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned city clerk of the city of Janesville, Wis., until September 14th, 1908, at eight o'clock p. m., for furnishing the city with one hundred and twenty-seven tons hard coal, as follows: twenty-five tons Range coal, twenty tons Buckwheat coal, and seven tons small egg coal for immediate delivery at the fire stations, and fifty tons small egg coal, and twenty-five tons Buckwheat coal for delivery at city hall as ordered.

The council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
Dated September 8th, 1908.  
A. E. BADGER,  
City Clerk.

Buy it in Janesville.



## NEWS FROM NEAR-BY NEIGHBORS

## NORTH CENTER

North Center, Sept. 7.—Land prairie given to the Evansville fair by the people who attended from this vicinity.

Sportmen from Janesville were in this neighborhood Sunday.

The party at Wm. Churchill's was a grand success. All report a good time.

Mrs. Thomas Cruise returned to her home in Chicago Friday, having visited the past few months at her parents' home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kopke and daughters Luella and Lily visited Ed Wollitz and family of Janesville Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Peter Barrett and children, Katherine and Donald, also Miss Mary Fox, visited Wednesday afternoon at Lawrence Barrett's.

James Cullen attended services Sunday at the Catholic church in Evansville; then spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Crall.

Lawrence Barrett and family spent Sunday at Ed Barrett's, Mary and Helen Barrett remained there for a week's visit.

School will begin in Dist. No. 1 Sept. 14.

## CENTER

Center, Sept. 8.—Very favorable weather for shedding the tobacco crop prevails. This week will see the greater portion of the weed in the shed.

M. O'Neill of Leyden is grading a piece of road in West Center.

Miss Bertha Chittwood of Richland Center commenced school in Dist. No. 1, Miss Jessie Lowry of Janesville in Dist. No. 2, Miss Vera Fuller in the "red brick" and Miss Vera Davis in the "brown" school, Monday, Sept. 8.

George Davis of Cleveland, Ohio, is here visiting his father and other relatives.

Miss Genevieve Ryan of Janesville visited her friend, Miss Katie Crall, last week.

Miss Edna Schroeder of Janesville, who has spent part of her vacation with her cousin, Mrs. Seth Crall, returned to her home Sunday.

Ell Crall and son captured a number of prizes at the Evansville fair last week and made several sales. They are exhibiting stock at the state fair, Milwaukee, this week.

Miss Florence Poynter has returned to Janesville again, where she is working at the dressmaking trade.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Warner and children of Hollet have been spending the week with the latter's relatives here.

Engineer Elmer Townsend and family of Janesville are spending a week with relatives here and at Magnolia.

H. O. Harlow is the first on the list to fill his slot.

Miss Cora Fisher commenced school at Whitewater Normal last week.

The Janesville H. S. students resumed their work again Tuesday.

Miss Luella Hawk of West Center left for Milwaukee Monday, where she enters the Normal school for this year.

Miss Elsie Crall is visiting at Troy Center.

Mrs. Charles Schuman of Watertown spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Fred Pomeroy.

A few from Center attended the fair at Evansville last Thursday.

## PORTER

Porter, Sept. 8.—Mrs. Emma Shearn and family spent Sunday in Janesville.

Mrs. T. W. Prusher spent Sunday at G. W. McCarthy's.

Joe, Carlo had a valuable horse last week.

Miss Nellie, daughter of Dunkirk spent Sunday with relatives here.

This is the week for general tobacco curing and it is pleasing to note that growers are not shedding unripe tobacco.

A number of our residents went to the state fair on Wednesday.

There will be a farmers' meeting in the Horlicks schoolhouse on Monday evening, Sept. 14, at 8 p. m., to organize a local A. S. of P. Everybody come and stimulate the movement.

The ball game on Sunday between the Porter Clippers and the Cookeville Niners resulted in a victory for the latter. Score, 14 to 4.

The Ladies' society of St. Michael's church will give an entertainment at the home of Geo. Nichols on Friday evening, Sept. 18. Good music will be in attendance. Everybody come and enjoy a good time.

A six-round "brawl" between Hans Seaton of Porter and a local pugilist of Stoughton will come off in the Armory in Stoughton on Thursday evening, Sept. 10.

The tobacco buyers are offering 8 to 9 cents, but no sales as yet.

## MAGNOLIA

Magnolia, Sept. 10.—Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Andrew returned home Friday from Harvard, Ill., where they have been making a visit to their son George and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Schreiner of Attea visited relatives here Friday.

Thomas Neuhart was the guest of Mrs. N. Seizer, Friday.

Misses Catherine and Eager were visitors at the corner Friday.

J. T. Brown and J. T. Phelps were Evansville visitors Friday.

Miss Frouda Postle and brother, Claude were Saturday evening visitors at Geo. Bishop's.

The many friends of J. Barranger are glad to hear he is able to be about again.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mann visited Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Postle at Decatur.

Mrs. Dora Mable was an Evansville visitor Saturday.

Several spent the day Saturday at Sugar River.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Dougherty of Milwaukee are visiting at the lady's parental home.

A. Schroeder was seen on Magnolia streets Friday evening.

Ralph Harvey was in this vicinity Saturday.

Renew Harnack was home over Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Mable and son Ellsworth were Saturday visitors in North Magnolia.

Miss Anna Sturtevant was a Friday evening visitor at E. Mann's.

The Misses Minnie and Corah Bishop spent Saturday afternoon with Miss Lottie Mable.

A large crowd attended the Evansville fair.

Some from this place attended the

baseball tournament at Footville, Sept. 2 and 3.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Houston died at their home Saturday, Sept. 5. Their many friends sympathize with them in their hour of sorrow.

Miss Emma is visiting at the home of A. Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Mann and family spent Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Natz in Center.

The Misses Brantley visited Sunday at the home of Mrs. Ringer.

Miss Frouda Postle, Minnie and Corah Bishop were Sunday afternoon callers at Miss Francis Mann's.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mann and A. Postle were Sunday callers at Mr. and Mrs. A. Woodstock's.

Mr. and Mrs. Dora Mable were present at the family reunion at James Mable's, Sunday, at Evansville.

Edwin Seizer and Thomas Neuhart are visiting at the latter's parental home at Newark.

The Misses Minnie and Corah Bishop were Sunday visitors at Miss Frouda Postle's.

Miss Claude Turner of Iowa is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Lee.

Miss Minnie Edwards will begin teaching school near Orfordville, Tuesday, Sept. 8.

Mrs. T. Richmond is on the sick list.

Mrs. C. Roberts of Evansville was an afternoon caller at her daughter's, Mrs. Herb Lee.

Miss Elsie Turner of Iowa will spend a week with her aunts, Mrs. Lou and Doll Lee of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Schreiner of Attea visited relatives here from Friday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Andrews spent the past week in Harvard, Ill., with their son and family, George Andrews.

Miss Elsie Clark, Charles Gunkel and Charles Postle took supper at E. B. McCoy's, Sunday night.

Mrs. Carrie McCoy and daughter Ada spent Sunday night with Mrs. Lottie Edwards.

## EAST PORTER

East Porter, Sept. 8.—The drought is becoming quite serious and we will be glad to see rain.

Little Marion Hanson spent last week with relatives at Milton Junction.

Rev. Langham returned to his home in Nebraska last week.

Rev. Price preached at Spring Green last Sunday.

Mrs. Stella Toynton and daughter Lila have returned from a visit with relatives at San Francisco.

Mrs. McManis of Janesville attended church at Fulton last Sunday.

Edith Raymond is visiting with relatives and friends in Chicago.

A large congregation listened to Rev. Van Horn at the Fulton church last Sunday.

The social at Mr. E. Raymond's was largely attended last Friday evening. During the evening Chas. Raymond and wife were presented with two beautiful chairs as a token of appreciation of Mr. Raymond's services in the choir.

Rev. A. J. Witter, formerly of Albion, now of Chicago, will give his interesting lecture on his trip to Palestine at the Fulton church Wednesday evening, Sept. 10th. This promises to be one of the best lectures ever given in Fulton.

There will be an ice cream social at the home of Wm. Post next Friday evening. Music will be furnished by the Edgerton high school orchestra.

Alva Garey was home from Milton to attend his brother's wedding.

Hortense Ely and Gertrude Tallard spent Tuesday with Elsie Hubbell.

There will be no Ladies Aid this week on account of various other attractions.

We are glad to know that Mrs. James Sayre is convalescing rapidly.

Mrs. Chas. Learn is under the doctor's care.

Emmet Shaw is in the east attending a reunion of the Shaw family.

Miss Alice Wright went to Janesville last Wednesday.

Mr. Davidson of Edgerton was out to the hotel farm and took views of the tobacco which are to be sent to Norway.

Rev. Shamus will preach his last sermon before conference at Stobbsville next Sunday. It is not known whether he will return or not, but the congregation hopes that he may.

Miss Lowry will return to Stobbsville to teach another year. School begins next Monday.

Chas. Learn is putting an addition on his house.

Miss Mary Jessup of Chicago is spending a few days at the Alfred Hubbell home.

Mr. Walter Brown of Hartford, Mich., spent from Saturday until Tuesday at the Gardner home. Mr. Brown is a recent graduate of the Lansing university in the civil engineering course and at present is superintending the building of a large structure in Chicago.

## SOUTHWEST LIMA

Southwest Lima, Sept. 7.—Hert Dixon is having cement work done in his home.

Mr. M. Schockopf entertained hay buyers the past week.

Harry De Jean was calling on his many friends in this locality during the week.

The state fair is the attraction for a number of people this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Frank and two children are enjoying a visit with Dakota friends.

Mrs. Will Dixon and children visited her parents Sunday.

Mr. M. Schockopf is handling his hauled straw to Whitewater.

Joe Laekner was a caller in Milton Junction Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kunkle and Mrs. Sadie Kunkle and baby attended the wedding of their brother, Leo, in the town of Fulton Wednesday evening.

Mr. Tombs and Frank Schleich, accompanied by Messrs. Nelson of Peawaukee and Phil of Whitewater, came out in their automobile to Jim Laekner's Monday evening to be on hand early Tuesday morning when the open season for ducks and small game began. From the amount of game they returned with and the good time they report, they enjoyed their trip.

Mr. D. Cummings returned Saturday evening from a visit with friends in East Troy.

## GIBBS LAKE

Gibbs Lake, Sept. 8.—Mrs. Lowry of

Center returned to her home last Tuesday after a few days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Mosher of Leyden and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Miller and children of Janesville spent Sunday at Wm. Mosher's.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hoague and son Charles attended church in Janesville Sunday.

Mr. James Lamb of Janesville was seen on our streets with his auto Monday.

Mrs. Chas. Jones visited in Janesville Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Stout who has been visiting her friend, Miss Eva Stewart, has returned to her home in Janesville.

Mr. and Mrs. James Churchill and daughter Mary are visiting with their daughter, Mrs. Frank Hensch of Newville.

Quite a number are planning to attend the state fair.

Ernest Kohn and Wm. Handke were Janesville visitors Saturday.

Mr. Geo. Gentle of Johnston returned with Mrs. J. Fossenden who has been visiting with them the past few weeks.

About all the tobacco is harvested.

Mr. Wm. Mosher was a Janesville visitor Tuesday.

## WEST MAGNOLIA

West Magnolia, Sept. 7.—The Help-ers' Union will meet with Mrs. Wallace Andrew, Thursday, afternoon. You are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. George Townsend is still quite ill.

Miss Minnie Edwards and Mrs. E. B. McCoy spent Friday in Orfordville.

Mrs. E. M. Cummings attended services here Sunday.

Miss Minnie Edwards went to Orfordville Monday to begin her school duties Tuesday, Sept. 8. The Misses Roscoe Townsend and Jessie Woodworth will commence teaching Sept. 14.

Many from here will attend the Monroe fair this week.

Miss Hazel White of Janesville and Miss Maude McNeil of Milwaukee spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Seizer.



## LEAGUE BASEBALL RESULTS.

NATIONAL LEAGUE		Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	48	48	32	.600
Pittsburgh	45	45	35	.563
St. Louis	44	44	36	.553
Cincinnati	43	43	37	.539
Philadelphia	42	42	38	.526
Boston	41	41	39	.513
Brooklyn	40	40	40	.500
St. Louis	39	39	41	.488
Washington	38	38	42	.475
New York	37	37	43	.462
AMERICAN LEAGUE				
St. Louis	42	42	34	.556
Philadelphia	41	41	35	.540
Cleveland	40	40	36	.526
Washington	39	39	37	.513
St. Louis	38	38	38	.500
Chicago	37	37	39	.488
St. Louis	36	36	40	.475
St. Louis	35	35	41	.462
St. Louis	34	34	42	.449
St. Louis	33	33	43	.436
St. Louis	32	32	44	.423
St. Louis	31	31	45	.410
St. Louis	30	30	46	.397
St. Louis	29	29	47	.384
St. Louis	28	28	48	.371
St. Louis	27	27	49	.358
St. Louis	26	26	50	.345
St. Louis	25	25	51	.332
St. Louis	24	24	52	.319
St. Louis	23	23	53	.306
St. Louis	22	22	54	.293
St. Louis	21	21	55	.280
St. Louis	20	20	56	.267
St. Louis	19	19	57	.254
St. Louis	18	18	58	.241
St. Louis	17	17	59	.228
St. Louis	16	16	60	.215
St. Louis	15	15	61	.202
St. Louis	14	14	62	.189
St. Louis	13	13	63	.176
St. Louis	12	12	64	.163
St. Louis	11	11	65	.150
St. Louis	10	10	66	.137
St. Louis	9	9	67	.124
St. Louis	8	8	68	.111
St. Louis	7	7	69	.098
St. Louis	6	6	70	.085
St. Louis	5	5	71	.072
St. Louis	4	4	72	.059
St. Louis	3	3	73	.046
St. Louis	2	2	74	.033
St. Louis	1	1	75	.020

The baseball games played on Tuesday resulted as follows in runs, hits and errors:

NATIONAL LEAGUE		Runs.	Hits.	Errors.
At Chicago—Chicago, 3, 9, 1; Cincinnati, 2, 2, 2.				
At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh, 2, 4, 1; St. Louis, 5, 1, 1.				
At Boston—Philadelphia, 5, 11, 6; Boston, 1, 0, 4.				
At New York—New York, 1, 11, 3; Brooklyn, 0, 4, 2.				
At Cleveland—St. Louis, 2, 7, 0; Cleveland, 0, 5, 0.				
At Detroit—Chicago, 5, 12, 0; Detroit, 2, 10, 3.				
At Washington—Boston, 3, 0, 1; Washington, 1, 4, 2.				
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 6, 9, 1; St. Louis, 5, 8, 1.				
At Minneapolis—Minneapolis, 3, 11, 0; Milwaukee, 0, 9, 1.				
At St. Paul—St. Paul, 6, 6, 2; Kansas City, 3, 8, 4.				
At Indianapolis—Indianapolis, 3, 5, 0; Toledo, 1, 8, 2.				
At Columbus—Louisville, 3, 13, 2; Columbus, 2, 13, 2.				
At Peoria—Peoria, 4, 7, 0; Springfield, 2, 6, 2.				
At Dubuque—Dubuque, 1, 9, 2; Cedar Rapids, 1, 4, 0 (in innings).				
At Bloomington—Decatur, 4, 8, 0; Bloomington, 6, 4, 0.				
At Rock Island—Clinton, 5, 8, 0; Rock Island, 4, 8, 2; second game, Rock Island, 6, 10, 2; Clinton, 0, 2, 1.				
At Grand Rapids—South Bend, 2, 7, 3; Grand Rapids, 1, 4, 3.				
At Dayton—Fort Wayne, 7, 11, 0; Dayton, 4, 11, 0.				
At Evansville—Evansville, 15, 19, 1; Terre Haute, 12, 25, 2.				
At Wheeling—Wheeling, 6, 8, 2; Wheeling, 2, 8, 3; second game, Wheeling, 2, 8, 3; Wheeling, 1, 4, 2.				
At Omaha—Omaha, 12, 14, 1; Des Moines, 0, 6, 2.				
At Sioux City—Sioux City, 11, 8, 3; Paulding, 3, 8, 4.				
At Lincoln—Lincoln, 3, 4, 0; Denver, 0, 2, 1.				

Prosperity and Adversity.

If we do not suffer ourselves to be transported by prosperity, neither shall we be reduced by adversity. Our souls will be proof against the dangers of both these states; and, having explored our strength, we shall be sure of it; for, in the midst of felicity, we shall have tried how we can bear misfortune.—Lord Bellingham.

Buy it in Janesville.

## CUMMINS FOILED BY STANDPATTERS

## ELECTION OF IOWA GOVERNOR AS SENATOR PREVENTED.

## DEADLOCK SEEMS LIKELY

Forty-Two Republicans Refuse to Vote for Executive—State Conventions Meet in Illinois and Connecticut.

Des Moines, Ia., Sept. 9.—True to their pledge to each other, 42 stand-patter Republicans in the state legislature Tuesday prevented the election of Gov. A. B. Cummins to the United States senate to fill out the unexpired term of the late W. H. Allison.

These 42 senators and representatives refused to cast their votes for Gov. Cummins and, with the 45 Democrats who voted for him, they outnumbered the 45 Republicans who voted for Cummins. Not only did these stand-patters prevent an election Tuesday, but they declared that it is their intention to continue in their course, deadlocking the legislature if it is necessary to keep Cummins out of the senate.

Serious Bolt May Result.

Gov. Cummins, after the vote in the senate, said he regretted that so many Republicans had found it necessary to bolt the decision of their party caucus. Much bitterness is expressed among the progressives, and there is open talk of bolting the state and legislative tickets at the polls if the stand-patters refuse to give the majority recognition.

The stand-patters are much elated. They figure that the defeat of the governor at this time effectively disorganizes the progressive forces and makes his success impossible. There are those who think the effect on the movement which has been leading will be very detrimental and that it will begin to disintegrate.

Illinois Republican Convention.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 9.—The Illinois state convention was called to order here Wednesday. Speaker Cannon as permanent chairman delivered a "keynote" address, and Leslie M. Shaw also spoke. The convention then proceeded to the nomination of four trustees for the University of Illinois, the naming of presidential electors and the adoption of a platform. There is no other business for it to transact.

It seemed certain that Senator A. J. Hopkins and Gov. Denen would be endorsed for reelection, as they were victorious in the primaries.

Democrats Meet at Peoria.

Peoria, Ill., Sept. 9.—The state Democratic convention convened at noon Wednesday in the Coliseum and attracted a large crowd. So great was the crush in Peoria and the demand for admission to hear Bryan and Stevenson that the state central committee was called together Tuesday night by Chairman Houschenski to canvass the question of adjourning the convention after the completion of routine business to the courthouse square.

The committee decided to make the following temporary officers: Mayor Fred J. Kern of Belleville, chairman; George L. McConnell of Chicago, secretary; William McInerney of Rock Island, reading clerk. They will in all probability be made permanent officers of the convention. The committee decided that the convention should reaffirm the Denver platform, praise the candidates and not mention the personal liberty issue.

Connecticut G. O. P. Meets.

New Haven, Conn., Sept. 9.—No Republican convention held in the state of Connecticut since that of the fall of 1900, when the McLean-Warner fight for the governorship shook up the party, brought out so much interest, so much real enthusiasm and so much excitement as that which was called to order Tuesday night in the Lyceum theater. The temporary chairman was United States Senator Frank B. Brandegee of New London. The business of the convention was begun Wednesday.

Gov. Edwin Norris Renominated.

Ansonia, Mont., Sept. 9.—The Democratic state convention met here Tuesday and T. J. Walsh of Helena was elected chairman. Gov. Edwin Norris was renominated by acclamation. Thomas D. Long of Flathead was nominated for congress.

Accused of Embezzling \$75,000.

Cincinnati, Sept. 9.—Wilhelm de Ruy was arrested here Tuesday on the charge of embezzling from three banks in Uniontown, Pa. It is alleged that the man was a bank clerk and that he had failed to deposit in bank large sums that Hungarian miners in Pennsylvania gave him for deposit.

Ohio Minister Is Jailed.

Richmond, Va., Sept. 9.—Roy, Lem and W. Snyder of Norwood, O., were arraigned in the police court here Tuesday, fined \$15 and sent to jail for six months on a charge of disorderly conduct following a police investigation at the instance of parents of Richmond children. He pleaded guilty.

Woman Suicide at Niagara.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Sept. 9.—A woman, about 25 years old, of refined appearance, Tuesday afternoon walked into the river about 30 feet above Prospect Point and was swept over the falls. She left nothing to identify her. Seventy-five persons saw the suicide.

Different Then.

"First come, then served," is true enough unless you make a practice of never tipping the waiter.

## TAFT WILL TOUR COUNTRY

## DEMONSTRATES HIS ABILITY AS A CAMPAIGNER.

In Day of Speechmaking Through Ohio, He Becomes the Aggressor in the Contest.

Cincinnati, Sept. 9.—That William H. Taft will make a complete and extensive tour in the United States before the November election, may be announced as the personal determination of the candidate. He will rely on the record made by himself Tuesday as proof complete of his ability to make good in a campaign of travel.

Besides the physical capacity of speaking from north to south through the state of Ohio, Mr. Taft made himself the aggressor in the political fight. He said in his first and principal speech of the day, at Sandusky, that if elected president, he would devote his best energies to constructive recommendations to congress for legislation which would clinch the Roosevelt policies of business honesty. At the same time he made it clear not only that the regulation by the government of interstate business should be sound in legal principle, but that the interpretation and enforcement of the law should be both clear and speedy, to the end that legitimate aggregations of capital should not be prevented or discouraged, and that confidence in the commercial stability of the country should be on the firmest possible basis.

Mr. Taft also pledged himself to further the policy of government supervision of the issue of stocks and bonds of interstate railways.

Later in the day he declared the Republican party to have made the best record in labor legislation during the past seven years of all previous records since Washington's time. Still later, in his flying trip through the state, the candidate declared with great emphasis that Mr. Bryan and the Democratic party were responsible for at least two years of fighting in the Philippines, which would have been unnecessary in the absence of opposition in this country.

## HAVE CLEW IN \$70,000 THEFT.

Arrest in Oregon Express Case May Be Made in Salem.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 9.—Detectives who have been working for several weeks to solve the mystery of the disappearance of \$70,000 worth of securities and other valuables from the Union station of the Wells-Fargo Express company in this city, claim to have a clue, but refuse to give out any details.

The package was shipped on August 21 by J. H. Albert, president of the Capital National bank of Salem, Ore., to Joseph Meyers, who on that day was, with his wife, a guest at the Portland hotel in this city. The package never reached its destination and is believed to have disappeared from the express company's office late on the night of August 21, or early in the morning of the following day. Detectives are in Salem looking into a number of peculiar features connected with the case, and it is understood that if the arrest is made it will be in that city.

## BURIED IN OWN DEATH TRAP.

Boys of Hammond, Ind., Crushed by Collapse of Cave.

Hammond, Ind., Sept. 9.—A death trap built by boys at play collapsed on its makers Tuesday afternoon, killing one of them, fatally injuring a second and seriously injuring a third. The victims were boys 14 and 15 years of age, sons of prominent residents of Hammond. The tragedy was due to the falling in of a cave they had excavated in the prairie near their homes. Harry Rickerts, 15 years old, son of Thomas Rickerts, a contractor, was dead when his father dragged him from the ruins. Louis Mott, 15 years old, son of Fred Mott, former mayor of Hammond, cannot recover. Clifford Hudson, 14 years old, son of R. W. Hudson, superintendent of the Standard Steel Car company, may die.

Aged Man Robbed and Murdered.

Richland, Ill., Sept. 9.—John Brehm, 80 years old, of Pequotia, Ill., was found dead on the Vandula tracks here Tuesday. Relatives say that when he left home he had \$150 in his pocket, but only \$2.50 was in his clothing. A deep cut on the head indicated that he had been murdered.

Well-Known Army Captain Dies.

Leavenworth, Kan., Sept. 9.—Capt. John K. Moore, Fifteenth Infantry, died at Fort Leavenworth Tuesday night of typhoid fever. He was one of the best-known officers in the service, having distinguished himself in the Cuban, Philippine and China wars.

Missing Lawyer Heard From.

Chicago, Sept. 9.—Mrs. Fanciel D. S. Bethune, wife of the young attorney who disappeared from his home, 34 Pine street, New York, August 23, was called to the telephone in Chicago by her husband, who said he was in Buffalo and would be home soon.

Fireman Fatally Injured.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 9.—August Datz was fatally injured and Harry Heckman seriously hurt Tuesday night at a fire at E. H. Menzies Paint company's store on Duquesne way. Both men are firemen.

Derivation of "Shenny."

The word "Shenny," as applied in an obnoxious way to Jews, is by some identified with the word "Chien," which is French for "dog." But others identify this word with "Shien," the initial letter in "Shokun," which makes the original application of the term an honorable one.

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There is no mysterious element in these bulky paper books, writes D. M. Carr in the Dwight (Ill.) Herald. From cover to cover they are filled with pictures and with prices and descriptions of goods. The power of printer's ink is the only magnet, and this magnet can be used by merchants everywhere. The publishers of these great catalogues do business running well up toward the fifty millions yearly. All their success has been in the link they use and the way they use it.







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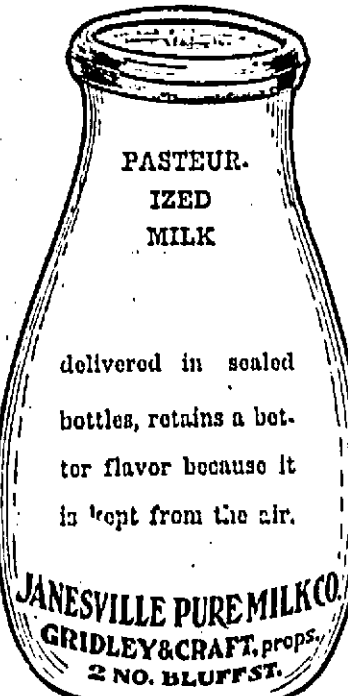
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**HOW THE OTHER PARTIES VOTED**

370 ROCK COUNTY DEMOCRATS STAID IN OWN CAMP.

**PROHIBITIONISTS 67 STRONG**

While Social Democrats Only Mustered in 31 Ballots—Summary of Official Count.

While the democrats of Rock county participated, to a large extent, in the choice of republican candidates at the recent primaries, at least 370 of them remained within the lines and voted for their own leaders. The official count of the democratic ballots shows that Neal Brown of Wausau was the favorite nearly 4 to 1 in his race against Melvin A. Hoyt of Milwaukee for the United States senatorship and that John A. Aylward had the same advantage over Adolph J. Schmitz in the contest for the gubernatorial nomination. The Rock county democratic vote in detail was as follows:

FOR U. S. SENATOR—Brown, 230; Hoyt, 88; White, 3; scattering, 2.

FOR GOVERNOR—Aylward, 273; Schmitz, 94; A. J. Schmitz, 3.

FOR LIEUT. GOV.—Bert Williams of Ashland, 306.

FOR SECY. OF STATE—Miles T. Gittings of Monroe, 191; P. B. Schmitz of Milwaukee, 109; P. B. Schmitz, 3.

FOR STATE TREASURER—Geo. T. Henshaw of Madison, 200; W. F. Horstorf of Middleton, 92; Dahl, 1.

FOR ATTY. GENERAL—Evan A. Evans of Baraboo, 294; Gilbert, 1; Dahl, 1.

FOR INSURANCE COMMISSIONER—Wm. Gullikson of Hartford, 167; H. J. Neuman, 100; Beedle, 2.

FOR CONGRESSMAN—H. A. Moosh, 287; Nohm, 6; Cooper, 3.

FOR STATE SENATOR—J. J. Hordan of Beloit, 203; Whitehead, 2; Chamberlain, 1; Henderson, 1.

FOR ASSEMBLY (1st Dist.)—Fosander, 43; Götter, 8; Whitte, 4; Boyd, 1; Burdick, 1; Barab, 1; Ward, 1.

FOR ASSEMBLY (2d Dist.)—J. T. Hutchinson of Janesville, 91; Horn, 1.

FOR ASSEMBLY (3d Dist.)—Matt P. Lathers of Turle, 105; Morrison, 1.

FOR COUNTY CLERK—Frank H. Morris of Milton, 308; Lee, 2.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER—O. P. Murwin of Fulton, 273; Church, 4; Woodruff, 3; Powers, 1.

FOR SHERIFF—Almon Baldwin of Clinton, 270; Scholbel, 25; Hanson, 12; Merrill, 1.

FOR DIST. ATTY.—John B. Clark of Beloit, 277; Heningway, 6; Fisher, 6.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS—C. E. Bunker of Edgerton, 270; Weirick, 4; Davis, 3.

FOR CLERK OF COURT—Earle, 7; Hendricks, 1; McFarlane, 1; Clatworthy, 1; M. Kellerg, 1; Hensenden, 1; Clarke, 1; McKewen, 1; Smith, 1.

FOR SURVEYOR—Kimball, 2; Coyne, 1; Gleason, 1; Mahaffey, 1.

FOR CORONER—Carroll, 2; Patmor, 2.

Prohibition Vote

The Prohibitionists of Rock county cast 62 votes for a nominee for Governor, 12 for James Davidson, 2, in the vote on the U. S. Senatorship, Stephenson received 11; Hutton, 4; McDevore, 3; Cooper, 1; Brown, 1.

For congressman Joshua Herkey of Monroe received 51 votes; Cooper, 5; Moehlephal, 1. R. H. Stockman of Fulton was nominated as county clerk, receiving 52 votes to 1 for Howard W. Lee and 1 for Church. B. I. Jeffery of the village of Milton was named as the candidate for county treasurer, receiving 56 votes to 3 for Woodruff and 1 for Church. Hanson received 17 and Scholbel 1, for sheriff. M. S. Kellogg of the town of Rock received 57 votes for clerk of court. The vote of district attorney was Heningway, 12; Fisher, 11. W. K. Taylor of Oxfordville received 44 votes for register of deeds and Weirick, 1.

Social Democratic Vote.

It was not so long ago that the Social Democrats cast more votes than the Prohibitionists in Rock county but interest in the cause is apparently dwindling. Jacob Rummel of Milwaukee, received 51 votes as a candidate for the U. S. Senatorship. Harvey Deo Brown of Racine, received 27 votes for governor. W. A. Jacobs of Racine received 29 votes as a candidate for congress. J. B. Horn of Janesville, was nominated as a candidate for assemblyman, 2nd district, receiving 8 votes. F. J. Hennicke of Turle was nominated for the assembly in the Third district, receiving 9 votes to 2 for C. W. Messmore.

AGED COLORED WOMAN

DIES AT POOR FARM

Mrs. Gillian Perry of Beloit Passed Away Last Night at the County House.

Mrs. Gillian Perry of Beloit died last evening at the county house at an advanced age. She had lived in Beloit for many years and while she did not know her exact age, it is said that she was over one hundred. She was born in slavery in the south and lived there until she was seventeen. She then came to Indiana and later moved to Beloit where she has resided since before the war.

Three sons were born as the result of her marriage to Mr. Perry, two of whom died about twenty years ago and the other disappeared a good many years ago and has not since been heard of.

Mrs. Perry for many years has lived in the building of the African Methodist church in Beloit. About three weeks ago she was taken ill with dropsy and was taken to the Beloit hospital. A few days ago she was removed to the county farm.

George C. Youmans and Miss Hattie Listomb Took Vows Before Rev. J. W. Laughlin.

George C. Youmans and Miss Hattie Listomb were wedded at the Presbyterian parsonage by Rev. J. W. Laughlin at eight o'clock this morning. Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Brown witnessed the

ceremony. The happy couple left on an early train for a week's honeymoon visit in Milwaukee and Chicago. After Oct. 1 they will be at home to their friends at Mr. Youman's farm west of Janesville.

STOLE FILE FROM CARRIER'S WAGON

Rural Mail Carrier Has Package Taken by Sneak Thief This Morning.

While her wagon was standing in the yard of the postoffice and she was inside the building, Miss Cora Smith of No. 10 Oakland Ave. lost a package containing a blacksmith's keys through the back of the wagon. Miss Smith is substituting for her father, C. H. Smith, who is a rural mail carrier on route No. 2. Her wagon was standing in the alley while she was loading the mail and the package, which had been purchased by her to be delivered while on her route, was in the wagon. Several white-lighters were hanging around there at the time, which was about seven o'clock this morning, and one of them was seen to take the package from the wagon. Three of the crowd were picked up by the police this morning but the fourth man who is reported to have taken the file had not been found this afternoon.

P. McKinney was fined \$2 and costs this morning in the municipal court. As he could not pay his fine at the time he was sent down for five days.

Store Robbed.

On reaching his grocery store on Milwaukee street yesterday morning Henry Dredrick found that the door was unlocked and that someone had opened the cash register and abstracted about eight dollars. The store was closed on Labor Day and Mr. Dredrick thinks it possible that he did not lock the door on leaving the store. The police have not yet connected anyone with the theft.

The officers on night duty kept their eyes open last evening for three poorly dressed men who were strangers in the city. One of them in talking to the others said he could get in to any house or store in the town with the keys he had. His remark was overheard by a bystander and was reported to the police. The men were not located however and no arrests were made.

VETERANS GATHERED AT MILTON TUESDAY

Soldiers and Sailors of Rock County Held Annual Reunion Yesterday.

Yesterday the soldiers and sailors of Rock county held their annual reunion at Milton and between six and seven hundred veterans and their families attended the event. About one hundred from Janesville were present.

Bishop Samuel Fallows of Chicago delivered the main address of the day. He paid an eloquent and able tribute to the soldiers and sailors of Rock county who fought for the Union in the civil war.

At the business meeting the following officers were elected: President, Daniel Loomis, Clinton; vice-president, J. P. Carlo, Janesville; secretary, James Campbell, Clinton; chaplain, E. T. Babcock, Clinton; treasurer, J. L. Bear, Janesville.

The Milton band and the Milton college quartet furnished the music of the day and the exercises were held on the college campus.

Senior Vice Commander Lang of Racine and Assistant Adjutant General Watrons of Whitewater were in attendance.

ENJOYED DANCE AT SINNISSIPPI CLUB

Fourth of Present Series Given Last Evening—Matches for Val-entines Medal.

Last evening at the golf club twenty couples enjoyed the fourth dance of the present series of Tuesday evening dances.

In the afternoon the first round of play in the ladies' putting tournament for the Valentine medal took place. The eight winners were: Mrs. E. E. Fife, Mrs. Elizabeth Schickler, Mrs. E. Fife, Mrs. C. Carter, Mrs. C. Pittman, Mrs. E. P. Doty, Mrs. Mary Doty, Miss Isabel Smith and Miss Daisy MacLeann.

Miss Letitia Gallagher of Chicago, who is studying under Professor Torrens, rendered several vocal selections during the evening, which were highly appreciated by those who were lucky enough to be present.

Miss Gallagher is visiting Mrs. H. G. Carter during her stay in Janesville.

Among the out-of-town guests were John Deablen of Chicago and Miss Hettard of Chicago.

CURRENT ITEMS.

Solvey—burn it as you do hard coal. Circle No. 3 of the M. E. church will hold a rummage sale at 207 W. Milwaukee street, commencing Wednesday, Sept. 9, and continuing through the week. Open evenings except Thursday.

About 2000 yards of dress gingham in pieces from 10 to 20 yards each, 10c value, special at 7c yard. T. P. Burns, St. Patrick's Court No. 318, W. C. O. P. card party, supper and dance, Central hall Thursday. Admission 25c.

Direct from New York, 35 new sample suits received by express yesterday. Elegant models. Call and see them. Archie Reid.

Banano demonstration at H. S. Johnson's Grocery every day this week. Come and try the new fruit drink. FREE.

The King's Daughters of the Baptist church will meet in church parlors Thursday afternoon. All members are urged to be present.

Madam Schumann Heink, Rhythm and other great artists are introducing Mrs. Bond's songs. The former sings "The Lullaby" on all her concert programs.

EVERY ACCOMMODATION.

The Walworth County Fair this year promises bigger, better crowds, more enjoyable times, better entertainments than ever before. The race track was never better, the cattle barns are enlarged, and all department accommodations will be in fine condition. The free shows, the booths, the accommodations, are simply great.

**PERSONAL MENTION.**

Mrs. Willis Isbel of Union, Ill., and Miss Winifred Gilbert of Stoughton are the guests of Miss Jessie Foster.

The Woman's Reading Circle met with Mrs. B. P. Dunwiddie this afternoon.

Michael Hayes is home from Beloit for a week's stay.

Mrs. D. E. Fife and Miss Helen Fife are in Chicago and Milwaukee for the past week, has returned home.

The Ladies' Missionary society of the Congregational church will meet at the parsonage at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon. Miss Jeffris and Mrs. J. W. Sale will have charge of the program. All are welcome.

Miss Mildred Holloway left this noon for Chicago to visit her brothers, Don and Claude Holloway.

P. H. Korst went to Milwaukee today.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dalton are spending the day at the State Fair.

N. Pappas went to Chicago this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayhew London and daughter, Genevieve are at Milwaukee today attending the State Fair.

Adam Holt returned today from a trip to Mineral Point.

Mrs. Church of Duluth is here to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. Lloyd, 160 Madison street.

J. K. Johnson went to Madison this morning.

Miss Letitia Gallagher of Chicago is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Carter.

Charles Hemming of Rockford was in Janesville yesterday on business.

T. E. Webb was among the Janesville visitors at the state fair yesterday.

S. M. Lester left for Duluth last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Koch returned last evening from a visit in Milwaukee.

H. Hallentine and sister, Elizabeth were at the state fair today.

Miss Lydia Walker and Miss Louise Miller went to Milwaukee today to visit the state fair.

C. S. Putnam and George D. Slingsworth returned from a business trip to New York.

George Robinson of Rockford was a visitor in the city yesterday. Mr. Robinson formerly lived in Janesville.

Mr. and Mrs. John McDonough went to Milwaukee today.

Mrs. George Appleby and Mrs. W. H. Appleby went to Milwaukee today to attend the state fair.

George H. Lester will spend the day in Milwaukee and will leave this evening for Michigan.

Card announcing the marriage of Edward McComan, formerly of Janesville, and Miss Alice Johnson, have been received by local friends.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Conroy are attending the state fair at Milwaukee.

Mrs. Sarah Clark has returned to her home in Chicago after a visit with Mrs. Sarah Seasholtz.

Mrs. Anna McNeil, Miss Adda Donnelly, H. L. Shavlin, and Miss Mae Gagen were among the Janesville people registered at Milwaukee hotels last evening.

William McNeil enjoyed a visit from an old college associate, Walter Joyce of Ashland, last evening.

The Misses Cunningham, DeNoyer, Henderson, and Joyce of Beloit were visitors in the city last night.

Mrs. Jennie Munn of Belvidere is visiting in the city.

Mrs. Mary Morey of Detroit, Mich., is the guest of her brother, C. F. Lester, Wheeler street.

Modified director's suits now being shown in our suit room. Call and try them on. Hanging in price \$15 to \$40. T. P. Burns.

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Peaches,

Bushel Baskets

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Fine, large, firm, ripe fruit. As nightly as the Southern Elbertas and much sweeter.

We believe they are as reasonable as anything we will have this season.

If you want a good peach order a basket of these.

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Apples, 25c Pk.

One of best fall eating apples when mellow. These will have to be held a few days.

Smooth ripe Tomatoes 75c bushel.

Green Tomatoes, 60c bu.

Head Lettuce, 5c.

Bleached Celery, 5c.

Lombard and Green Gage Plums.

Tarragon, Malt and Grape Vinegars.

DEDRICK-BROS.

**MARRIAGE IN AUGUST ANNOUNCED TODAY**

Mrs. Askin of Beloit Last Evening Announced Marriage of Her Daughter.

Last evening at an informal reception given by Mrs. Askin of Beloit she announced the marriage of her daughter, Lavonia to Denver C. Keeney on August 13th last. Mr. and Mrs. Keeney were married in Janesville by the Rev. J. H. Tippet at his home. On account of the sickness of the bride's father who was in Texas the marriage was kept a secret.

Mrs. Keeney is prominent in social and musical circles and is noted for her vocal abilities. Mr. Keeney is the youngest son of United States Senator G. H. Keeney of Indiana and is manager of the Donelson Coal company of Middlesboro, Kentucky.

The couple will make their home in Beloit for the winter.

To Wed at Afton.

On Wednesday of next week Miss Agnes Bartol and E. F. Luckfield both of Afton are to be married at that place.

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Extra fine Cauliflower, 10c head.

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Fine large Watermelons, 15c, 25c.

Muskmelons received fresh every day.

Evergreen Corn 8c per doz.

Pine new Honey just in, 16c.

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# The BRASS BOWL

PICTURES BY A. Weil LOUIS JOSEPH VANCE

Instantly her hand was free, Maitland ramming both his own into the side pockets of his top coat. "They're safe!"

She smiled uncertainly. "We have no time," said she. "Can you drive?"

They were standing by the side of her car, which had been cunningly hidden in the gloom beneath a spreading tree on the further side of the road. Maitland, crestfallen, offered his hand; the tips of her fingers touched his palm lightly as she jumped to it. He hesitated at the step.

"You wish me to?"

She laughed lightly. "Most assuredly. You may assure yourself that I can't try to elude you again."

"I would I might be sure of that," he said, steadying his voice and seeking her eyes.

"Procrastination won't make it any more assured."

He stepped up and settled himself in the driver's seat, grasping throttle and steering wheel; the great machine thrilled to his touch like a live thing, then began slowly to back out into the road. For an instant it seemed to hang palpitant on dead center, then shot out like a bound unleashed, venting a roar of Brooklyn miles away over the hood.

It seemed but a minute ere they were thundering over the Myanah bridge. A little further on Maitland slowed down and, jumping out, lighted the lamps. In the seat again—no words had passed—he threw in the high-speed clutch, and the world flung behind them, roaring. Thereafter, breathless, stunned by the frenzy of speed, perforce silent, they bored on through the night, crashing along deserted highways.

In the east a band of pallid light lifted up out of the night, and the horizon took shape against it, stark and black. Slowly, stealthily, the formless dawn dusk spread over the sleeping world; to the zenith the light-smitten stars reeled and died, and houses, fields, and thoroughfares lay aglimmer with ghostly twilight as the car tore headlong through the grim, unlovely, silent hinterland of Long Island City.

The gates of the ferry-house were inexorably shut against them when at last Maitland brought the big machine to a tremulous and panting halt, like that of an overdriven thoroughbred. And though they perforce endured a wait of fully 15 minutes, neither found ought worth saying; or else the words wherewith flit to clothe their thoughts were denied them. The girl seemed very weary, and sat with head drooping and hands clasped idly in her lap. To Maitland's hesitant query as to her comfort she returned a monosyllabic reassurance. He did not again venture to disturb her; on his own part he was conscious of a clogging sense of exhaustion, of a drawn and haggard feeling about the eyes and temples; and knew that he was keeping awake automatically, his being already adoze.

The fresh wind off the sullen river served in some measure to revive them, once the gates were opened and the car had taken a place on the ferry-boat's forward extreme. Day was now full upon the world; above a horizon belted with bright nuggets, the cloudless sky was soft turquoise and sapphire; and abruptly, while the big unwieldy boat surged across the narrow ribbon of green water, the sun shot up with a shout and turned to an overcast dream of fairy-land the gaunt, rock-ribbed profile of Manhattan Island, bulking above them in tier upon tier of monstrous buildings.

On the Manhattan side, in deference to the girl's low-spoken wish Maitland ran the machine up to Second avenue, turned north, and brought it to a stop by the curb, a little north of Thirty-fifth street.

"And now whither?" he inquired, hands somewhat impatiently ready upon the driving and steering gear.

The girl smiled faintly through her veil. "You have been most kind," she told him in a tired voice. "Thank you—from my heart, Mr. Anstey," and made a move as if to relieve him of his charge.

"Is that all?" he demanded, blankly. "Can I say more?"

"I am to go no further with you." Sick with disappointment, he rose and dropped to the sidewalk, anticipating her affirmative answer.

"If you would please no," said the girl, "you won't insist."

"I don't," he returned, ruefully. "But are you quite sure that you're all right now?"

"Quite, thank you, dear Mr. Anstey!" With a pretty gesture of conquering impulse she swept her veil aside, and the warm rose-glow of the new-born day tinted her wan young cheeks with color. And her eyes were as stars, bright with a mist of emotion, brimful with gratitude—and something else. He could not say what; but one thing he knew, and that was that she was worn with excitement and fatigue, near to the point of breaking down.

"You're tired," he insisted, solicitous. "Can't you let me—?"

"I am tired," she admitted, wistfully, voice subdued, yet rich and vibrant. "No, please. Please let me go. Don't ask me any questions—now."

"Only one," he made supplication. "Do you nothing—?"

"Nothing but be more kind than I can say!"

"And you're not going to back out of our partnership?"

"Oh!" And now the color in her cheeks was warmer than that which the dawn had lent them. "No. I shan't back out." And she smiled.

"And if I call a meeting of the board of management of Anstey and Wentworth, Limited, you will promise to attend?"

"Yes."

"Will it be too early if I call one for to-day?"

"Why?"

"Say at two o'clock this afternoon, at Eugene's. You know the place?"

"I have lunched there."

"Then you shall again to-day. You won't disappoint me?"

"I will be there. I . . . I shall be glad to come. Now—please!"

"You've promised. Don't forget."

He stepped back and stood in a sort of dreamy daze, while, with one final wonderful smile at parting, the girl assumed control of the machine and swung it out from the curb. Maitland watched it forge slowly up the avenue and vanish 'round the Thirty-sixth street corner; then turned his face southward, sighing with weariness and discontent.

At Thirty-fourth street a policeman, lounging beneath the corrugated iron awning of a corner saloon, faced about with a low whistle, to stare after him. Maitland experienced a chill sense of criminal guilt; he was painfully conscious of those two shrewd eyes, boring glint-like into his back, overlooking no detail of the wreck of his evening clothes. Involuntarily he glanced down at his legs, and they moved mechanically beneath the edge of his overcoat like twin animated columns of mud and dust, openly advertising his misadventure. He felt in his soul that they shrieked aloud, that they would presently succeed in dining all the town awake, so that the startled populace would come to

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## UP-TO-DATE FASHIONS



FRENCH DAT HING SUIT.

A pretty and dainty bathing suit box plait brown wash taffeta ribbon fashioned after above design is made from brown mohair and trimmed as indicated with fancy brown braid. Large white covered buttons hold down the pointed tabs of collar and trim front combination.

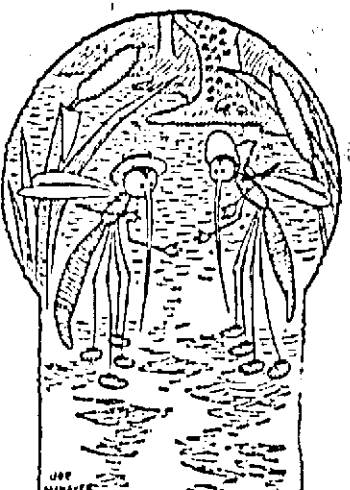
## BITS OF HUMOR



"TWO OF A KIND."  
Harry—I take to the sea naturally. You know, my father was a salesman. Grace—I do, too, Harry. Although papa was a bookkeeper, my mother always attended sales.



"THE HIT'S THE THING."  
Wright Field—So you think baseball players and actors are a good deal alike? Rockson Buckle—Even so, my friend. There's no chance of a run unless they make a hit.



"MORE THAN HE COULD STAND."  
First Mosquito—You look sick, old fellow? Second Mosquito—Yes, I spent a week at Chippitown and had to dine every day on cigarette fumes.

"MUST BE TOGETHER."  
Spectator—Glad to see you two together. Theater Box-office Man—Nothing but standing room, sir. Spectator—All right. Give us two grandstand rooms together.

"OF COURSE."  
First Burglar—A man who is worth doing at all— Second Burglar—Should be well to do.

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**FRANK SCHULTE.**  
Chicago, Ill.—Frank Schulte, the Cub's right field heavy hitter, is back in the game and ready to help win the pennant fight. Schulte has been out of the game more than three months on account of illness. His return is giving renewed strength to the Cubs in their uphill fight for the pennant.

**White Cross Congress Opens.**  
Geneva, Sept. 9.—The first congress of the International White Cross association, which was founded last year with the object of grouping the efforts of the international societies engaged in fighting tuberculosis, cancer and other epidemic diseases, social scourges, such as alcoholism and the drug habit, as well as food adulteration, opened here Tuesday.

**Bankrupt Brokers Indicted.**  
Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 8.—George I. Whitney, F. L. Stephenson and I. M. Pickelton, until their assignment several months ago doing business as brokers in Pittsburg and on the New York stock exchange, were indicted as individuals Tuesday by the county grand jury on the charge of embezzlement.

**Five Children Die in Fire.**  
St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 5.—While the parents were away from home the residence of J. C. Burdette, near New Brighton, 15 miles northwest of here, burned Tuesday evening and five small children met death by suffocation.

**Prefers Death to School.**  
Lancaster, Pa., Sept. 3.—William, the 14-year-old son of Lander Shantz, a hotel keeper, committed suicide at his home Tuesday because his parents compelled him to go to school.



## "P. & G."

Has made 'em as white as winter snows.

Sing a song of soapsuds,  
A kitchen full of steam,  
Four and twenty hours, at least,  
Before she'll get 'em clean.

That's the way they used to wash.  
But now a change we see,  
Some magic hastens everything,  
And sets the housewife free.

The mistress, in the pantry,  
Is eating bread and honey,  
She knows the magic power, at work,  
Is saving time and money.

The maid is in the garden,  
Hanging out the clothes,  
For "P. & G." has made 'em  
As white as winter snows.

5 cents—all grocers.  
Try it.

**An Observation.**  
One of the most annoying things in life is to fall in a coal hole, or stumble over an uneven bit of pavement, and get badly enough hurt to make you ill all day, but not badly enough to be able to recover damages from the city.

**OFFICIAL NOTICE.**  
City Improvement Notice.  
Published by the authority of the common council of the city of Janesville, Wis., August 19th, 1908.  
To whom it may concern:  
Notice is hereby given that a contract has been let for improving East Milwaukee street from the east side of Division street to the east side of East street, by grading paving with brick and the laying of gutters and curbing and otherwise improved, and that the expense of said improvement chargeable to the real estate has been determined as to each parcel of said real estate, and a statement of the same is on file with the city clerk.  
It is proposed to issue bonds chargeable only to the real estate to pay the special assessments, and such bonds will be issued covering all of said assessments except in cases where the owners of the property file with the city clerk, within thirty days after the date hereof, a written notice that they elect to pay the special assessment, or a part thereof, on their property, describing the same, on presentation of the certificates.  
A. E. BADGER,  
City Clerk.

## HANDY TIME TABLE.

Chicago via Clinton—C. & N. W. Ry.—4:20, 4:30, 4:55, 6:00, 8:00, 9:10, a. m.; 12:50, 2:55, p. m. From Chicago via Clinton, 12:40, 11:40, a. m.; 12:25, 8:05, 8:50, 9:15 p. m.

Chicago via Beloit—C. & N. W. Ry.—7:10, a. m.; 3:00 p. m. From Chicago via Beloit, 5:50, 10:35, 11:45, a. m.; 8:45, 4:10, p. m.

Chicago via Davis Jct.—C. M. & St. P. Ry.—8:00, 11:20, a. m.; 5:55, p. m. Returning, 10:15, a. m.; 1:00, 5:45, p. m.

Chicago via Walworth—C. M. & St. P. Ry.—7:10, 10:25, a. m.; 5:32, 8:50, p. m. Returning, 10:20, 11:00, a. m.; 6:50, 8:55, p. m.

Madison, Edgerton, Stoughton and Points north and west—C. M. & St. P. Ry.—8:15, 10:35, 11:00, a. m.; 2:45, 5:55, 8:55, p. m. Returning, 7:05, 10:25, a. m.; 6:17, 6:55, p. m.

Madison Evansville and points north C. & N. W. Ry.—12:40, 6:00, 11:45, a. m.; 4:10, 8:50, 9:10, 9:50, 11:00 p. m. Returning, 4:20, 4:25, 4:50, 5:55, 7:05, 9:05, a. m.; 3:00, 6:50, p. m.

Milwaukee via Jefferson Jct.—C. & N. W. Ry.—8:00, a. m.; 12:45, p. m. Returning, 7:50, a. m.; 12:35, 8:45, p. m.

Milwaukee, Whitewater and Waukesha C. M. & St. P. Ry.—7:30, 7:50, 10:25, a. m.; 4:48, p. m. Returning 10:10, 11:45, a. m.; 3:37, 6:46, 12:25, 9:25, p. m.

Brodhead, Monroe, Mineral Point and Plattville—C. M. & St. P. Ry.—11:00, 10:30, a. m.; 7:00 p. m. Returning, 10:15, a. m.; 4:48, p. m.

Beloit, Rockford—C. M. & St. P. Ry.—9:00, 11:20, a. m.; 5:55, p. m. Returning, 10:15, a. m.; 1:00, 5:45, p. m.

Beloit, Rockford, Belvidere and De Kalb—C. & N. W. Ry.—7:10, 9:10, a. m.; 3:00, p. m. Returning, 11:45, a. m.; 4:10, 8:45, 7:52, p. m.

Afton and Beloit only—C. & N. W. Ry.—6:00, a. m.; 12:40, 7:00, p. m.

Fond du Lac, Oshkosh and Green Bay—Chicago & Northwestern Railway—6:50, a. m.; 12:45, p. m. Returning, 12:35, 8:45, p. m.

Watertown, Jefferson, Lake Mills, Watertown—C. & N. W. Ry.—6:50, 8:00, a. m.; 12:45, 8:15, p. m. Returning, 7:50, a. m.; 12:35, 3:00, 8:45, p. m.

Afton, Hanover, Footville—C. & N. W. Ry.—11:10, a. m. Returning 3:30 p. m.

Delavan, Racine, Freeport and Rock Island—C. M. & St. P. Ry.—11:20, a. m.; 6:17, p. m. Returning 1:00, 6:50, p. m.

Daily, 18unday only, except Sunday.

Rockford & Interurban—Cars arrive 15 minutes before the hour and leave 15 minutes after the hour. First car leaves 6:00; first car arrives 6:45; last car leaves for Beloit 11:15; last car arrives 11:45.



## DETAILS OF THE TRAGEDY AT DENVER

### Heroic Rescues Made by Brave Firemen at Belmont Hotel Blaze—

Denver, Colo., Sept. 8.—The Belmont hotel at 1723 Stout street is in ruins as a result of yesterday's blaze. While many were injured it is now known that only four lost their lives. Crazed with fear and almost suffocated by smoke, the guests rushed for the windows, several of them jumping to the pavement below before firemen and policemen could reach them with ladders or spread nets below the windows. The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin. It broke out on the top floor of the building and spread with amazing rapidity.

#### The Dead:

Moore, Edward, aged 55, real estate agent, Philadelphia, killed by jumping.

Kane, John D., Colorado Springs; suffocated.

Hahn, George, Middletown, N. Y., died at hospital of injuries sustained by jumping.

Ott, George, Dodge City, Kan., died at hospital of injuries sustained by jumping.

Leap to Death from Windows.

Nearly a hundred guests were stopping in the house and many of them found all means of egress cut off when aroused. At least five persons jumped from windows. Many others were carried down extension ladders by firemen and policemen working in relays.

The whole rear portion of the building, on which were two fire-escapes, as well as the stairway, was quickly burned away. Several heroic rescues were cheered by a crowd of more than 1,000 spectators who stood in the street watching the blaze.

The damage to the building is estimated at \$20,000.

Quest Saves Lives of Score.

Patrick Trondwell, a fireman of Cripple Creek, Colo., who was stopping in the Belmont when the fire started, is credited with having saved at least ten lives by inducing entrapped guests to jump from the upper-story windows across a five-foot alley to the roof of an adjoining building, and catching them in his arms. More than a score of persons jumped from windows before the department arrived.

## FAIRBANKS TO GIVE SPEECH OF THE DAY

### Menominee Will Celebrate Its Great Increase in Business and Population.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Menominee, Mich., Sept. 8.—Tomorrow will be a red letter day in the history of Menominee. Some months ago the city decided that its rapid increase in population and the prosperity of its business interests called for some sort of a celebration. The present week was selected for the event on account of the county fair being in progress.

A citizens' committee set about making arrangements for the celebration and the success of its efforts is evidenced by the fact that it has secured the attendance of a long list of notables for the event. First and foremost among the distinguished visitors will be Vice-President Fairbanks, who will arrive here from Chicago tomorrow morning in time to deliver the oration of the day. Other notables who have accepted invitations to attend the celebration are Governor Warner of Michigan, United States Senators Smith of Michigan and Stephenson of Wisconsin, and Brigadier General Dimes.

The city today is dawning with gala in the anticipation of tomorrow's festivities. The largest crowd ever entertained here is expected. Among the visitors will be a large number of members of the Michigan editorial association.

## TODAY'S MARKETS.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Chicago, Sept. 8.—Cattle receipts, 13,000; market, strong, 10c higher; hogs, 3.70@7.70; cows and heifers, 1.80@5.80; western, 3.45@6.10; calves, 6.00@8.00.

Hog receipts, 18,000; market, 5c higher; light, 6.40@7.02½; heavy, 6.10@7.15; bulk of sales, 6.70@6.95.

Sheep receipts, 30,000; market, weak; western, 2.25@4.30; natives, 2.25@4.30; lambs, 3.50@5.30.

Wheat: May—Opening, 1.00½@1.01; high, 1.01½; low, 99½; closing, 1.00½. Sept.—Opening, 97½@98½; high, 97½; low, 97½@98½; closing, 97½. Dec.—Opening, 97½@98½; high, 97½; low, 96½; closing, 96½@97½.

Rye—Closing, 70½; Dec. 77; May, 81.

Barley—Closing, 61¢@66.

Corn—May, 60½; July, 65½; Sept., 70½; Dec., 68½.

Oats—May, 52½; Sept., 49½; Dec., 50½.

Poultry—Turkeys, 17; springers, 13; chickens, 10.

Butter—Creamery, 18¢@22½; dairy, 17¢@20.

Eggs—21.

THE JANESVILLE MARKETS.

Janesville, Wis., Aug. 25.

Eat Corn—22¢@23c.

Corn Meal—\$22¢@23¢ per ton.

Feed corn and Oats—\$24 per ton.

Standard Middlings—\$26¢@28¢.

Oil Meal—\$1.70¢@1.50 per cwt.

Now Oats—13¢@14c.

Hay—\$9¢@10 per ton.

Straw—\$5¢@6 per ton.

Brass—\$20¢@25¢ per ton.

Hay—75¢ for 50 lbs.

Barley—55¢.

Cremery Butter—23½¢.

Dairy Butter—20¢.

Eggs—Fresh, 18¢.

New Potatoes—50¢@55¢ bu.

Advance Man Here: F. P. Folson,

advance man for "The Woman of the West" which is to be presented here Saturday evening, was a pleasant caller at the Gazette office yesterday afternoon. The premiere performance at Springfield Sunday evening was a great success. Father L. J. Vaughan, the playwright, was present at the performance and returned to Janesville last evening.

## TEXAS COMMERCIAL SECRETARIES MEET

### Meet to Talk Over Plans to Boost the Lone Star State—Opened This Morning.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Fort Worth, Texas, Sept. 8.—The men who lay awake nights devising plans to "boost" the great southwest were all in Fort Worth today. The occasion was the opening of the big convention of the Texas Commercial Secretaries, Oklahoma and Louisiana have sent representatives to the gathering, as well as all the leading cities of the Lone Star state. The character of the gathering and the large and representative attendance are well calculated to give a fresh impetus to the work of development of the magnificent resources of this section of the country.

The initial session this morning was given over to reports of deeds, appointment of committees and other routine work. The regular program of papers and discussions was taken up this afternoon and will be continued through the next two days. The topics to receive attention cover a wide range. First and foremost on the program will be the organization of commercial clubs and the conduct of their work so as to achieve the best results. The duties of the commercial club secretary will be discussed from all points of view. Of wider interest will be the discussions on immigration, railroad construction, advertising and other subjects having to do with the general development of the country.

AT ELKHORN SEPT. 15, 16, 17, 18.

The management of the Walworth Co. Fair are making extensive preparations for the entertainment of their patrons on a more magnificent scale than ever. Everything points to a successful meeting this year. Special trains Thursday and Friday.

BOTH THINKER AND DRINKER.

Eminent Englishman One of the Most Bibulous of Men.

The great Porson, librarian and Greek scholar, would sit up drinking all night without seeming to feel any bad effects from it. Horne Tooke told Samuel Rogers that he once asked Porson to dine with him in Richmond buildings, and as he knew that Porson had not been in bed for the three preceding nights, he expected to get rid of him at a tolerably early hour. Porson, however, kept Tooke up the whole night, and in the morning the latter, in perfect despair, said: "Mr. Porson, I am engaged to meet a friend at breakfast at a coffee house in Leicester square." "Oh," replied Porson, "I will go with you," and he accordingly did so. Soon after they had reached the coffee house Tooke contrived to slip out, and, running home, ordered his servant not to let Mr. Porson in, even if he should attempt to batter down the door. "A man," observed Tooke, "who could sit up four nights successively might have sat up 40."

Tooke used to say that "Porson would drink ink rather than not drink at all." Indeed, he would drink anything. He was sitting with a gentleman after dinner in the chambers of a mutual friend, a Templar, who was then ill and confined to bed. A servant came into the room, sent thither by his master, for a bottle of embrocation, which was on the chimney-piece. "I drank it an hour ago," said Porson.—London's T. P.'s Weekly.

THE TROUBLE WITH "FRITZIE."

Dog Was What Might Be Called an Artificial Dachshund.

It was a very little girl in an abbreviated scrap of gingham that originally must have been a pink frock. It showed neutrality of color that bespoke many washings and the probability of former owners. Graped tightly in her grimy hand was a piece of twine, the far end of which was attached to the collar of a dog.

"Hello, baby; is that your dog?" bantered the youth fresh from preparatory school.

"Yes, sir."

"Well, well, he was meant to be a dachshund, wasn't he?"

Horribly the brown eyes gazed into those of her questioner. Her quick sense had caught the long word and recognized that it was the right name for her elongated friend.

"You mean he's funny in the middle?"

"That breed always is 'funny in the middle,'" laughed the boy, "but this one is curved up like a half circle," and he tried to illustrate the animal's defect with his hands.

"Oh, I know what you mean," cried the youngster, gleefully.

"Fritzie chases all the cats, and when they stop and spit at him he just humps up like they do—and now I guess he's grown that way."

Names of Flowers.

It is interesting to know how certain flowers get their names. Many were named after individuals. For instance: Pachelas were so called because they were discovered by Leon and Pachel. Dahlias were named for Andre Dahl, who brought them from Peru. The camellia was so called for a missionary named Kamel, who brought some magnificent specimens of the flower to France from Japan. He called it the rose of Japan, but his friends changed it to camellia. Magnolias were named in honor of Prof. Magnol de Montpellier, who first brought the beautiful tree to France from America and Asia. Because they trembled with the wind is the meaning of anemones. The Latin word to wash is lavare, and lavender received its name because the Romans put the flowers into water when they washed to perfume their hands.

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His New Schedule.

"Mister William," said the old Georgia darkey, "ef you'll gimme a beaver, an' a long-tail coat, an' a stand-in collar, an' den ef shoes what you use ter see de snakes in, I'll go precholin' or de Gospel, an' won't ask no mo' favas or you 'twell nex' time!"—Atlanta Constitution.

His Decisions Were All Accepted.

"Uncle Jim Hastings umpired the game between the Stars and the Comets." "What! Say, how did he look when he got through?" "He looked all right. Uncle Jim stands six feet two and weighs 210."

Riches and Arrogance.

Nothing is more hateful to a poor man than the purse-proud arrogance of the rich—but let the poor man become rich and he runs at once into the vice against which he so feebly declaimed. There are strange contradictions in human character.—Richard Cumberland.

Attracting the Fish.

If the fish did not come soon enough in British Columbia the Indians used to employ a wizard, who made an image of a swimming fish and put it in the water to attract live fish to the bait.

Mr. Dooley says "A planny is the wan thing that distinguishes th' very poor from th' pauper." A pauper could almost buy some pianos now if he could get them at the wholesale price. When an unscrupulous dealer buys a "stencil" piano for \$80.00 and assures his prospective customer that it's a \$400.00 piano but he is willing to sacrifice it for \$300.00 cash, and gets it, doesn't that look like "easy money?" It is easy money, and thousands of dollars change hands every day on that basis or worse. It is the "stencil" piano that opens the flood gate of misrepresentation and fraud. The practice of marking pianos with the names other than those of the manufacturer, has been largely used to deceive the public and bring the piano trade into disrepute. This is termed stenciling. Instead of reaching out for this "easy money" which the "stencil" piano offers, I have actually turned away business rather than sell either a "stencil" or a piano of the "commercial" grade. If you know of another dealer who does this, I shall be glad to give him honorable mention in these columns at my own expense, if you send me his name. Many factories give the factory name to their best pianos, and a different name to their "seconds" or "commercial" grades.

The "commercial" is usually a better piano than the "stencil", but neither of them meet the requirements of the discriminating buyers who come to me. As to the man who will buy a mail order piano and actually pay for it after he has heard it, that case has always seemed hopeless to me. One of these chaps wrote the piano house as follows:—

"Gentlemen:—The piano is giving entire satisfaction, and I cannot say too much for its wearing qualities. I do not think the top will wear through in twenty years. Our piano is used only as a receptacle for bric-a-brac, etc." Don't go to the city for your piano. The big city houses reckon their selling expense at \$85.00, and on top of this they base their margin of profit. No city house buys the same line of pianos cheaper than I buy mine, and my selling expense is not over \$15.00, including freight and cartage. Now do you see why the novice who judges a piano by the price, imagines that my pianos may not be good, because I can afford to sell them at reasonable prices? I believe I have demonstrated that the "square deal" pays in the piano business as well as in any other line of merchandise, and it pays in "good coin of the realm." To expose a fraud is not "knocking." I shall not pass judgment on value or quality of pianos not bought from me. In this connection I do not regard the "stencil" as a real piano. I will, on request, send you the names of two hundred and seventy-eight of these "bustard" pianos, but there is a new one born every few days and I haven't time to follow them closely. A new one was born very recently and christened the "Schiller" with the evident intention of trading upon the good name of the Schiller. A piano agent who makes a practice of sending people to houses of piano buyers to dissatisfy them with their purchases, sent a fake tuner (a stranger) to the home of one of my customers, and under pretense of tuning the piano, the "faker" purposely "queered" the action, and the aforesaid agent, shortly after, appeared and offered my now dissatisfied customer a "stencil" piano in exchange, and but for my timely appearance, my customer would have lost his good piano and a cash difference beside. Before employing a tuner who is a stranger to you, ask for his references. For every dollar that you save by employing an incompetent or dishonest tuner, you lose many dollars in damages to your piano. I am not the only dealer that handles good pianos in these parts, but I sell nothing but good pianos, and the square deal is on tap for every customer regardless of their knowledge of piano values. I sell several different standard makes but would call your particular attention to my leaders, the Schiller and Bauer. If you have lived in Janesville or Beloit 30 days you probably know persons who are using these superb instruments and can testify to their worth. Prices are posted in my store and the price is the same to all. If you have \$5 to begin and can spare two dimes a day (payable monthly) you can own a piano that will be good 25 years after your neighbor's cheap "stencil" has been worn out and traded off. Come and see my pianos. Visitors always welcome whether they are ready to buy or not.

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